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POLITICAL NOTES.

—A new name for the rule of three—Cæsarism.

—Remember to have yourself registered before the 1st of September, or you might lose your vote.

—The Republican State Convention will assemble in Harrisburg, on Wednesday, August 19th, 1874.

—If Kurtz charges twenty cents per line for editorial notices as he advertises, he will grow rich puffing Mackey and Wallace.

—The Pottsville *Miner's Journal*, says that "bolting Democrats are as thick in Schuylkill county to-day, as the leaves in Vallambrosa."

—The State Teacher's Association assembled at Shippensburg, on Tuesday of last week. The attendance was very good, and the exercises quite interesting.

—Brooklyn has the advantage of Bellefonte. She sends her garbage away by telegraph, while we are compelled to depend on the Street Commissioner and hog Constable.

—Hon. D. H. Neiman, of Northampton county is named by friends as a Democratic candidate for Auditor General. He served in the State Legislature in the sessions of 1862 and '63.

—Twenty years ago Senator Fenton ran a sawmill in Pennsylvania. He has since been engaged in turning out "planks," but has not done much lately at putting them into "platforms."

—Remember that the Republican Primary Election takes place on Saturday, August 22nd, and the County Convention will be held on the Tuesday following (25th) in Reynold's Hall, at two o'clock P. M.

—The Clinton *Republican* publishes our article on the Senatorial question, and is strongly in favor of the nomination of General John Patton on our side. We hope Clinton will give him her delegates, and we will at least, have the satisfaction of beating Wallace in his own county.

—"The Convention is over; the gentlemen placed in nomination will receive our warmest support, and are worthy the support of every democrat in the county," says Fred. Kurtz in the last *Reporter*. This comes with an almost angelic generosity from the man who did his best to whip Alexander and Meek. We don't believe Kurtz meant what he said in the above.

—The clerks at the late Democratic County Convention ought to take lessons in making strokes. Col. S. T. Shugert was nominated on the first ballot beyond a doubt. Over twenty persons kept the tally, and found him to have 38 votes; but those clerks were too much excited to count right. That's sometimes the way when people have such great honors thrust upon them.

—The *Sun* last week repudiated Crawford, Aultz, Chisty, Riley, Everhart and the whole capoodle of Democratic Legislative aspirants in this county. It declares that "no one with the least trace of connection with the 'rings' or 'jobs' or 'back pay'—no one whose character is not above suspicion," and so forth, ought to be mentioned in connection with the Legislature.—*Blair Radical.*

—Do not let any Republican convention this fall forget that a reciprocity treaty, ruinous to much of our industry, is awaiting the approval of the United States Senate. It should be unanimously condemned by the conventions, whether State or local, that the members of the Senate may have an opportunity to see how public opinion stands on this important question.—Williamsport *Gazette and Bulletin.*

—The State Prohibition party nominating convention, at Harrisburg, adopted a radical platform favoring the prohibition of the liquor traffic. The following nominations were made: Lieutenant Governor, Benjamin Rush Bradford; Judge of the Supreme Court, Simeon B. Chase; Auditor General, Calvin Parsons; Secretary of Internal Affairs, W. P. Cuthberson. A State Central Committee was appointed, with James Black, chairman.

WHAT WAS IT FOR?

Under the above heading the editor of the *Watchman* criticises severely the democratic convention for passing a resolution at the heels of the meeting, after many of the delegates had left and the court room was all confusion, which instructed the conferees to recognize none but regularly appointed Democratic conferees from other counties. There is little wonder that Meek is displeased, and it is a matter of surprise that his article is as well tempered as it is.

W. A. Wallace did not come over here on the day of the election without a purpose. The influential position he holds in the democratic politics of the state, makes it a positive necessity for him to secure the Senatorial nomination. The bitter strife waging between himself and Buckalew for the next United States Senatorship would virtually end with his defeat in the pending contest. He cannot afford to let the nomination go by default, and he won't. He has been through so many campaigns, and has had to do with political trickery so long, that even Meek's original and sagacious methods of outwitting political opponents will probably have to succumb to him. Wallace's friends in this county headed by Messrs. Fred. Kurtz, D. F. Fortney and others, whose names we deem it best to withhold, tried to carry the county against Meek, and succeeded to the extent of sixteen votes.

Now then, look at the situation. Clinton has instructed for Wallace, Centre for Meek. Clearfield will, in all probability, send two sets of delegates to the Senatorial Conference. Wallace's friends will represent the "straight-out" element of Clearfield. The dissatisfied element, or, as they are called, the "Modocs," will instruct for any body to beat Wallace—which is Meek. Now look at the respective claims of these two factions of Clearfield. It is true the remnant of the old original democracy are for Wallace. But the "Modocs" are the stronger—they out-number the regulars. They elected Doctor Potter to the lower house last fall, and Potter acted with the democratic side all the way through. They therefore, have as much claim to be called the regular democrats as the Wallace wing. Should the "Modocs" be recognized in the Senatorial conference, Wallace would be whipped. Let the reader now observe how coolly and serenely he bridges the difficulty. On the day of the Convention, he comes to Bellefonte, and asks Meek to withdraw from the contest. Knowing that the county would give him the delegates, Meek refuses to do so, and while the Convention is making the ticket, Wallace and Meek spend the afternoon in pleasant converse. After Wallace had bade his opponent a cordial good-bye at the depot, Meek hastens to find out the work of the Convention. He finds out that he was nominated for the Senate by a vote of 58 to 16, but that the convention had taken the liberty of appointing his conferees, and further, that they should be bound by the following resolution:

Resolved That the conferees elected this day, to meet the conferees of other counties composing the Judicial, Congressional and Senatorial districts, are hereby instructed to use all fair and honorable means to secure the nominations of the district candidates named by this convention; and they are further instructed not to meet with or recognize any conferees, except those elected by or constituted under the authority of the regular Democratic County Conventions of the counties composing the several districts.

This was the gag applied to the Modoc mouth, cutting off Meek's chances entirely, and insuring Wallace's nomination. Mr. Stitzer who presented it, did not make the resolution, he was only used as an instrument to ostracise Meek. The great majority of the conferees were Meek's friends, but they did not understand its purport. They voted for it because they thought it was a democratic custom, or something like that. The resolution was offered when many of the delegates had left, or were leaving. It was Wallace's gag, and it worked well for him. Meek was outwitted for once, but he is not easily laid out. He is about as fertile in expedients as Wallace, and may prove himself so in the end. When a man who aspires to the U. S. Senatorship will stoop to such a mean little piece of trickery to make his point, almost any means that can be used to overcome him would seem justifiable.

FOR SENATOR, JOHN SCOTT.

The time has fully come for the Republicans of Pennsylvania to say plainly whether they wish Hon. John Scott to be his own successor in the United States Senate for the term beginning on the fouth of March next, or whether they desire that he may be succeeded by some untried and inexperienced man. We desire positively to record our own belief in the wisdom of retaining the services of a public servant so faithful and efficient as Senator Scott has proved himself to be, and we will briefly state the reasons which have led us to this conclusion.

In the first place, why should there be any change in our Senatorial representation? We have re-elected General Cameron to the Senate almost continuously since his first term of service, and a similar courtesy would seem, in common fairness, to be due to his colleague. If Senator Scott has served the State and the party with zeal and intelligence, why should he be turned out? If there be no fault found in him, it is clearly in the line of safe precedent that he be honored in precisely the same way that General Cameron has been honored. We have recently re-elected General Grant to the Presidency, and we re-elected Abraham Lincoln before him. We promoted General Hartranft from Auditor General to Governor, and next year we will undoubtedly make him Governor for a second term. The custom now is to re-elect every member of the lower branch of Congress who has served his constituents acceptably, and men of rare qualifications are re-elected term after term. Judge Kelley has been continuously in Congress for fourteen years, and Mr. Dawes for eighteen years. Coming back to the Senate, we find that such leading Senators as Hamlin and Morrill of Maine, Morrill of Vermont, Conkling of New York, Sherman of Ohio, Chandler of Michigan, and Morton of Indiana, are serving their second or third terms. Who complains of all this? Not the great party which elected these men to represent its principles and policy, and which they have served so well. What has Senator Scott done that he should receive different treatment? Who has condemned his Senatorial career? We have heard of no condemnation. Accuser he has none.

This leads us to the second consideration which has influenced us to favor Senator Scott's re-election. The State and the party cannot afford to lose his services in a position which he has filled so ably and so acceptably. Granting that no man is indispensable, we still insist that the constituency which voluntarily dispenses with the services of a useful and influential representative of its interests does itself a wrong which sooner or later it is sure to realize. Senator Scott has so borne himself in his high office that he has commanded the respect and esteem of his fellow-Senators in such measure that his views of public policy have had weight and influence in shaping the legislation of the country and in advancing the interests of his State. No member of the Senate is more attentively listened to in debate, or more honored with the confidence of his associates than Senator Scott. His legal arguments on such knotty questions as the tenure-of-office act and the Caldwell bribery case, proved him to be the peer of any constitutional lawyer in the Senate. On questions with which the people of our State were more immediately interested, such as the revision of the duties on imports and the indorsement by the government of the Centennial Exhibition, the part taken by him has been prompt, prominent and influential. All will remember the readiness and the power with which he replied last winter to Mr. Sumner's most unjust attack upon the Centennial. During his service in the Senate his brother Senators have twice most significantly testified their appreciation of his ability and worth—first, by appointing him chairman of the celebrated Kuklux committee, which did so much to suppress the reign of terror in the south; and second, by placing him at the head of the very important Committee on Claims. He is also a member of the Committee on Finance. Constant in his attendance upon all his public duties, conscientious and painstaking in the examination of all subjects requiring his attention, eloquent and courageous in defending the right and exposing the wrong, Pennsylvania, we say again, cannot afford to take John Scott from the United States Senate.

And now we come to take higher ground in this matter. The country cannot afford to banish Senator Scott from its supreme councils. We are not of those who believe that the nation has entered upon its decadence—far from it; but we do believe that we have of late years very greatly lowered the tone of all our legislative bodies by the frequent election of unfit and unworthy legislators. The United States Senate has not escaped this contamination. Who needs to be told that the proportion of really able and truly honorable Senators is much less now than formerly? The standard of qualifications for a seat in the Senate, to which only the noblest and the best should ever aspire, has been lowered in many States, but most notably in the southern States. Such Senators as John Scott, with his scholarship, culture, legal attainments, rare oratorical powers, and unswerving conscientiousness, few States have of late been so fortunate as to secure. So long as even a few such men sit in the seats of the fathers, it cannot be said with truth the Republican party is doomed, or that the national glory has departed. But remove him—put in his stead an untried and possibly unfit man, and encouragement is given to the mischievous and reckless elements which would subordinate the good of the country to personal greed, sectional animosity, and all sorts of legislative makeshifts. We stand on the threshold of a critical era in the national life, and the country needs the services of true statesmen and devoted patriots to solve aright the problems of government and national welfare. The deplorable political and financial condition of the southern States, the civil rights dilemma, the transportation complaint of the west, the ghost of specie payments, the heresies of free trade and Canadian reciprocity are the most prominent of these problems, and their magnitude no thoughtful observer will question. Shall we commit these momentous issues to those who are competent to understand them and wise enough to solve them properly? If so, let us strengthen the hands and gladden the hearts of all such by keeping John Scott where he is. Let Pennsylvania show to her sister States that she appreciates the exceeding gravity of the present situation.

If the radical scribblers who attempt to fling their filth at us through the columns of the Tuten *Republican* and the Centre Hall *Reporter*, expect a reply to their lying scurrility, they will find it in the proceedings of the Democratic County Convention. As long as the honest Democratic masses of the county stand by us, we can afford to take the abuse of such narrow minded, envious, contemptible little minds, as control the columns of those two insignificant journals.—*Watchman.*

The article referred to in the above paragraph was not written by a "Radical scribbler." It appeared first in the Centre Hall *Reporter* and was copied by us. The article reviews the *Watchman* editor's political course for the last eight years and places some severe strictures upon that gentleman's honor and integrity. As it appeared in, and received the endorsement of, the *Reporter* we published it as democratic truth, because the writer referred to, is, and has been, a life-long Democrat. He is a clear-headed politician too, and writes forcibly, and it appears to us that it is base slander for the *Watchman* to call him a "radical scribbler." There is no disguising the fact that there is a breach in the Democratic party of this county, that will show some savage bolting on the 3rd of November—particularly if Wallace becomes the Senatorial candidate.

——The Centre Hall grangers hold their meetings over Miller's drug store.

SENATORIAL.

We are pleased to notice that the "Raftman's Journal" and the Clinton "Republican" favor the nomination of General John Patton, on our side for State Senator. If General Patton will accept the nomination, and we have heard nothing to the contrary, we are assured of one thing—that he will carry Clearfield against Wallace. We may not be able to elect our man but we can at least demonstrate to Wallace, that instead of carrying the democracy of the state in his hand, as he boasts he does, he does not know how to control his own county. Since the dodge played on Meek, at the Convention last week, there has arisen a decided antipathy against him among Centre County democrats. They have had a demonstration of his unscrupulous trickery. We believe now that Meek's friends in this county will cut him wherever they can. They may not do it openly, but they will do it whether Meek wants them to do so or not. It is our firm belief that if General Patton be nominated, he will be able to carry both Clearfield and Centre. What Clinton will do remains to be seen; but we can at least demonstrate to the people of the state that, at home, where he is best known, Wallace is neither respected nor trusted.

A GENERAL reduction on rates of merchandise between Philadelphia and Williamsport was made by the Philadelphia and Reading railroad, taking effect on the 6th inst. Now let the same be done between Philadelphia and Bellefonte.

THE fall election will take place this year on November 3rd. To qualify voters, they must be assessed 60 days before. Therefore every one should attend to this during this month.

EDITOR'S TABLE.

—*St. Nicholas* for September opens very seasonably with the "The Gentle Angler," a paper on Isaac Walton, and we soon come upon a story about hunting antelopes in the West. Among other seasonable things is a very funny illustrated poem, called "The Cheated Mosquitoes." "Fast Friends," by J. L. Trowbridge, and "What Might Have Been Expected," by Frank R. Stockton, draw near their conclusions, and the interest of both stories naturally increases. "The Pony Express" is a well-written article, handsomely illustrated, showing how messages and letters were carried before railroads and steamboats monopolized the business. Celia Thaxter comes to the defence of the birds in a poem called "The Kittiwakes," and Mrs Dodge, in some lively verses, how Mother Pussy taught her children. There is a handsomely illustrated article on "Old Dutch Times in New York," by Col. T. W. Higginson, and a loving account of the author of "Robison Crusoe," by Donald G. Mitchell. Lucrecia P. Hale has one of her quaint "Peterkin" conceits, in which the inimitable family have some of their queer experiences of a certain "Jim Crow," curiously illustrated by James C. Beard, in which the verses and a lot of fishes, in company with a little boy and a mermaid, swim bravely about, all over two pages. Sarah O. Jewett contributes a capital story for girls, and there is a romantic tale "Little Ben and the Sunshine," by Kate Bloede. The department at the end of the number are crammed as usual with wise bits of fun and funny bits of wisdom.

Demorest's Monthly Magazine is in our table with its usual promptness; it is a splendid number, and confirms its long and tried reputation. Demorests Monthly combines the artistic beauty of illustrations, the varied literary features, and household utilities, and more complete and reliable fashions than several of our best magazines. The publisher also offers the best and popular chromos worth about $15, as a premium to each subscriber. The yearly subscription is only $3. Address W. Jennings Demorest, 17 East 14th Street, New York.

——We call the attention of our farmer readers to a report of the late trial of mowers and reapers at the Penn. State College, which we republish this week. It will be seen that the "Climax," better known as the "Granger Reaper" took the premium. This machine is conceded to be ahead of anything now in use, and is being extensively introduced in this part of the state. Our farmers can find duplicate pieces of the "Climax" at the store of J. & J. Harris on Allegheny street.

——Allison Haupt's train is now improvised with two new coaches, which are neat and comfortable, and a great improvement over the old cars. Mr. Haupt has been the genial, ever-pleasant conductor on the B. E. V. road for so many years that he is known, and admired as an obliging, faithful officer, by almost everybody in the county and his train goes altogether by the name of "Al. Haupt's train."

——We have heard that the hotels and saloons generally throughout the county have been returned and, next week, we expect there will be considerable wailing and gnashing of teeth.

STATE ITEMS.

—Scarlet fever afflicts the little ones in Erie.

—Frog suppers are all the go in Snyder county.

—There is talk of a fine new market house in Franklin.

—Wayne county had marriage in the woods, the other day.

—The chestnut crop gives promise of being very abundant.

—Alas, poor Reading! A base ball tournament to be held there soon.

—Wilkesbarre is talking of having a marble statue of Judge Conyngham.

—Girard, Erie county, puts on metropolitan airs, in the shape of a club-room.

—The new brush factory at Franklin will be in operation within a few months.

—The first Mennonite church in Dauphin county was dedicated last Sunday.

—The Tidioute *Journal* has given up the ghost. Reason, want of patronage.

—There are between 30,000,000 and 40,000,000 feet of logs in the boom at Williamsport.

—The Allentown Iron Company has reduced the rent of its tenants twenty-five per cent.

—The Philadelphia *Age* is afraid of hydrophobia, and calls for a canine St. Bartholomew.

—A lady in Harrisburg gave birth, last week, to a four-legged baby. It did not live long.

—Quails are reported to be more plentiful this year in Dauphin Co. than for several years past.

—Union City, Erie county, has a new paper—the *Advertiser*, published by Hildreth, Young & Co.

—The Forsythe Scale Works, an extensive concern in Rochester, New York, is to be removed to Erie.

—A man worth $25,000 died in the Erie lock up, one night last week. He lived in Port Jervis, N. Y.

—Aaron Kreider died in Lancaster on the 7th inst., of lock-jaw, brought on by injuries received in a mill.

—Two steers belonging to Mr. Jacob Rupp, of West Earl twp., Lancaster county, weigh $3,800 pounds each.

—Hugh Byrne, of Danville, was killed by the cars while walking on the track at Catasauqua, on the 6th inst.

—The epizooty has broken out anew and in severe form among the horses in different parts of Lancaster county.

—The races of Chalybeate Driving Park, Bedford, come off on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

—There will probably be about forty applejack distilleries put in operation in the upper end of Lehigh county this season.

—A baptism of a child took place in Reading recently, where the great-great-grand-mother and grandfather stood as sponsors.

—A pine tree planted on the farm of J. R Boney, in Armstrong county, in 1801 is now 182 feet high and three feet in diameter.

—The Reading *Eagle* has just had set up in its office a four-cylinder Hoe press. The papers is highly prosperous, and deservedly so.

—An eastern minister recently preached four sermons, conducted a funeral, and officiated at the laying of the corner-stone all in one day.

—The order of Patriotic Sons of America is growing in strength in this State. There are now 250 camps, with a membership of 25,000.

—A Norristown baby is said to have inherited the eyes and nose of its father, but the cheek of his uncle, who is an insurance agent.

—Jacob and Susan Rhoads, of Charlestown twp., Chester county, will celebrate the sixtieth anniversary of their wedding on the 15th inst.

—It is proposed to hold a general reunion of soldiers who served in the late war, at Lake Carey, near Tunkhannock, some time in September.

—Two aged ladies died in West Earl twp., Lancaster county, last week—Mrs. Geyer, aged ninty-three years, and Mrs. Shirk, eigthy-seven years.

—Miss Hettie Ann Lease, of Fleetwood, Berks county, threw up her lease of life, last week, immediately after pouring kerosene into the cooking stove.

—The Pennsylvania State Fair will be held a Easton on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, September 29th and 30th, and October 1st and 2nd.

—A recent fire caused by friction of the machinery, in Wood's cotton mill, in Millville, caused damage to the amount of nearly $50,000 worth of property.

—A Blossburg correspondent writes that on the 30th of May, J. F., Lamberton left his home to go to Elmira, since which time his friends have heard nothing from him.

—Kinsloe, of the Hughsville *Enterprise* is publishing a burlesque expose of the initiation ceremony of the grangers. The wood cuts are fearfully and wonderfully made.

—From January 1st to July 25th, 149,360,689 feet of lumber have been shipped from Williamsport by rail and canal, an increase over the same period last year of 11,515,860 feet.

—At the last term of Court in Blair county there were fourteen convictions of parties charged with violations of the liquor law. The fines in these cases reached the sum of $1,470.

—The Reformed Mennonite church, of Phœnixville, has a difficulty. The members have dismissed two gentlemen from the Board of Trustees, and the matter is to be carried into court.

—A Western philosopher discourses after the following wise: "Do you chew gum? The price of three pieces a week, at one cent apiece, amounts to $1.56 a year, or in sixty-seven years to $104.52. That sum will purchase a complete set of Appleton's Cyclopedia, a marriage license, a black bombazine dress for your aunt, a German silver coffin plate, and a cheroot. Cut this out, young man, and paste it on the back of your girl's photograph."

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Poetry.

THE POWER OF PRAYER.

The Raliegh *News* of the 2nd inst. contains a letter from a Bald Mountain correspondent, ascribing the recent earthquake to the earnest prayers of Posey B. Owensby, who, having vainly tried to get up a revival among the natives, appealed to the Almighty to manifest himself by shaking the earth under them, and who, when the mountian labored, took to his heels without waiting to point a moral.

Posey B. Owensby—may his tribe increase!—
Lives, or did live, while nature was at peace,
Near Old Bald Mountain's summit in the clouds,
Removed afar from city din and crowds,
Peaceful he ploughed his sweet potato patch,
In peace prepared his setting hens to hatch;
In peace toiled daily to increase his store,
And, peaceful still, wrought hard to make it more.
Fast by his humble vine-clad cabin stood—
Or stands, unless Old Bald in hungry mood
Has swollowed it—a country school house rude,
Builded of logs and daubed with plastic clay
To keep the winter's wind and summer's rain away.
Here on week days the rustic youth were taught
Their "A B Abs," and "two times naught is naught."
On Sundays here good Posey sermons read
And called down sorrow on the sinner's head,
And often preached with orthodoxy roar
Such Scripture tales as ne'er were heard before:
How Annious and his greedy bride,
Touching a trade in turpentine, had lied;
How on the instant "both were lightnin' struck
'Cause God was wrathy at their weeked wurk;"
How Noah's life was shortened by a span
"'Cause that he teached distillin' onto man;"
How "Eglon for his crusines was gored
By Ehud, the left-handed, with a sword:"
How Samson lost his hair, his eyes, his life
"By tellin' holy secrets to his wife;"
And how in every age, in every clime,
The Lord's gad prods the sinner every time.

Bald Mountain's sons were heedless, and alas!
Her daughters let the preacher's warnings pass.
One day there came a Raleigh scribe who spoke
And said, "I've heern Old Bald's begun to smoke."
Then Posey girded up his loins and cried
Unto the people on the mountain side;
And to the school house flocked they by the score
To hear the warnings they'd oft heard before.
And heedless still the gaping neighbors heard
The thunder of the faithful preacher's word;
Nor would they groan "Amen!" nor scream, nor shout,
So the good shepherd's soul was vexed with doubt
Whether his exhortation or his prayer
Would save from torment any sinner there.
But, "Lord, send down thy lightnin,' then," he prayed;
"Let these here weeked hearts be sore dismayed;
Let Baldy's bowels bile and burst, oh, Lord!
And shake us up right smart!"—and at the word
There was a sudden subterranean quake
That made the rafters of the schoolhouse shake;
And from below there came a deadly sound
As of sterm demons battling underyround

One shriek, one yell of sinners rent the air
And forth they rushed in terror and despair;
Forth to the road and down the rocky dell
Fled panting priest and populace pell-mell.
And when they passed the dwellers on the plain,
Lo! Posey Owensby led all the train!

GATH BRITTLE.

"AND HE SHALL RULE OVER THEE."

BY MRS. FANNIE B. TOLLAN.

'Catharine, has my niece yet completed her toilette for the ball?' enquired the widowed Madame von Herbeck of the maid who was entering the room, carrying shawls, hoods and other winter wrappings.

'The young lady will be here immediately, Madame,' she answered.

'Then, at six o'clock bring in the tea. With the mercury at zero, a cup of warm tea can do no harm before a drive.'

Catharine left the room and Madame von Herbeck rose from her seat and walked a few times up and down the large, beautiful apartment.

The lady was about fifty years of age, and her face indicated gentleness and kindness. She wore a dress of heavy silk. A black mantilla hung over the back of the chair. A lace handkerchief and gloves lay near, and a head-dress trimmed with white ribbons was visible in an open basket standing by her. Everything seemed to be in readiness for the journey to the Sylvester ball, which was to be held at B——, the principal town of the province, and distant about a half mile.

An expression of lively interest passed over Madame von Herbeck's features as she said, musingly, 'If Emma would not trifle with her happiness. She is not likely to find another wooer like Lobau. But it is useless to preach reason to a child of eighteen almost spoiled by adulation. Emma is beautiful, more beautiful even than her mother, my early lost sister Antoinette, yet in a few years this mischievousness and petulance which her adores now as so irresistible, will, through more serious thought, perhaps through the knowledge of her past foolishness have vanished. And, perhaps if I were gone, this throng of admirers would soon disappear.'

Madame von Herbeck had become, through the death of her husband which occurred three years previously, possessor by his will of all his property and the estate of Birkenwalde. The marriage had been a childless and not very contented one. Of his possessions she had full control during her life, but at her death it had to go to a cousin of her husband.

Emma's father, Captain von Rohr, had died during her infancy, and her mother followed in a few years. The young orphan was taken charge of by her aunt, who bestowed the most tender affection upon her. She had been sent to the chief city of the province, and her fine talents there carefully cultivated, so that in the future she should be enabled to rely upon herself. Since then she had lived with her aunt, and the greater the happiness derived by the latter from the presence of the bright joyous creature, the sadder the thought that Emma, who appeared created to diffuse pleasure and delight through a home circle, should be forced to seek a place among strangers.

"Ever happy and gay.
Dancing life's hours away"—

sang—jubilant as a lark, a silver clear voice in the corridor. The door opened and the most charming creature imaginable, hastened over the threshhold, opened her arms, and enfolded the form of Madame von Herbeck in them.

'Emma, you will certainly crush your white terletan dress and your bows and ribbons, with such a stormy embrace,' said her aunt warningly.

'Well, my darling aunt, if the dress and the roses are to hinder me from giving you a hearty kiss, they may go. I must beg you to excuse me for waiting so long. My crimps would not adjust themselves as they ought, I had to rearrange them till they should lie properly so that I might resemble "The Churchgoer" in the almanac. I intend to bear a very grave demeanor at the ball, for we shall begin a new year. Who knows what it may bring forth?'

For a moment a dreamy expression passed over the lovely face, which soon changed to a joyful, happy smile, as she exclaimed, while raising her aunt's hand to her lips, 'Whatever it may bring, I will bear it bravely, if only the love of my good, true, best of aunts remains.' Madame von Herbeck softly patted the cheeks of the charming girl and said, 'Emma, you love me so dearly and yet will not do what I so earnestly desire!'

Emma glanced mischievously, lightly blushing toward her aunt and said, enquiringly, 'Lobau, is it not; have I guessed right?'

'Why are you so irritable, so unamiable, towards our neighbor? Is he not a truly honorable man?'

'Aunt! honorable! that sounds so old, so formal,' and Emma exclaimed pathetically.

'And Brutus was an honorable man!'

'Well, then let the term honorable go, though the young man of twenty-eight is really entitled to it. Is not Lobau a witty, handsome, amiable man?'

'Yes, I willingly admit all that; the thing is he is too yielding, you see, aunt!

Catharine just then brought in the waiter, and after carefully pouring out a cup for her aunt, and drawing her chair nearer to the table as the maid left the room, she continued:

'You see, dear aunt, I scarcely know how to make it plain to you. It is only when a man is something of a tyrant that he can make the right impression upon me. If I am to seek his approval, must have a little anxiety about him. If I should marry, I would not allow it to be said, 'That is the husband of Madame von Lobau.' No, my husband must know how to impress every one, especially me. Lobau takes delight in everything I say, he laughs at my silliness, and even takes no notice of my impertinence. That only provokes me to be still more disagreeable. Lately, at a small gathering at Restorf, I said to him during the cotillion, 'The heat is intolerable here, I wish some one would bring me a glass of lemonade.'

'Miss Emma,' he answered eagerly, 'a glass of lemonade shall be at your service immediately.'

'He hurried away and returned with a servant bringing a glass, and taking it from him handed it to me.

'Oh,' I said, 'this is not what I asked for.'

'Did you request anything else?'

'I only drink raspberry lemonade, Herr von Lobau.'

'I am sorry that you did not at first say so.'

'I did say raspberry lemonade, Herr von Lobau.'

'As you assure me so positively that you did, I could not have heard well, and will get you what you desired.'

'Now, aunt, is it not dreadful! Do you know what I should have done in his place?' Emma stepped back a few paces from the table, knit her brows and said in the deepest tones of which her voice was capable, 'You little piece of impertinence,' I should have said, 'do you think I will submit so quietly to your rudeness. If, instead of thanking me for the desired refreshment, you prefer to deceive me, in the future you may select some one else, I shall not submit.'

With the last words her voice rose to its highest pitch, and her aunt, in whose face amusement and vexation contented, interrupted with:

'Enough of your nonsense, Emma, drink your tea, it is time we were starting.'

She then rang the bell and ordered the carriage to be in good readiness.

'Dear aunt,' said Emma, 'let me finish what I wished to say, I really do not regard it as so very foolish that in some savage tribes the wives—so it is said—love their husbands in proportion to the number of blows they receive from them. Only a man with a spice of devilry in him shall some day be your son-in-law,' here her voice changed to a tone of genuine childslike love as she continued, 'for you are truly my second mother and no mother could be kinder.'

Her aunt kissed Emma tenderly upon her forehead and said, 'God grant that all may yet turn out well, your future often causes me much anxiety.'

The carriage being announced, their traveling toilette began. Emma wrapped herself in a short cloak trimmed with fur, putting over her beautiful golden curls a hood of delicate white wool.

'Your cloak is very loose, Emma,' urged her aunt, 'it lets the cold in on all sides.'

'Well, then, I will take the scarlet shawl and tie it around me, I shall look like a Russian in Caftan.'

'And how shall you cover the little satin slippers?'

'Oh, I will put them into the nice boots you knit for me on Christmas, dear aunt. See how obedient I am, and try to do everything you wish.'

Her aunt shook her head, doubtingly.

The preparations for their drive were all completed. A servant attended them to the carriage, and, after assisting them in, laid a thick fur robe over their feet, then wished them a pleasant journey, and they started over the crackling, sparkling snow.

In a short time they reached the boundary of Birkenwelde, and the Manorhouse of Charlotterhof, the residence of the Assessor Lobau, appeared in sight, a dark solid block in the semi-darkness. Although Emma had spoken in a tone of ridicule of Lobau, yet as they passed his dwelling, she leaned her head out of the window and glanced searchingly over the building, from which, from the ground floor above, streamed a bright ray of light.

'Lobau has already left for the ball,' she murmured; 'for the lower rooms are occupied by the Inspector.'

As her aunt, however, asked no questions and kept her veil closely over her face, Emma leaned her head back again among the cushions, and dreamed of the pleasures without number the ball should this evening bring to her.

Assessor Otto von Lobau, who was loved and reverenced by all his friends, might easily be regarded by those slightly acquainted with him, as a weak, tractable man. He regarded things in a broad earnest way. Nothing could induce him to disregard what he considered an act of duty. To things insignificant in themselves, he paid little heed, and to the interests of his friends and acquaintances, his own were always secondary. In the circles of home and society there could be no kinder, more amiable man than Lobau, but woe to those who misinterpreted the mildness and courtesy of his bearing, and dared to offer him an indignity. One of the chief bullies of the University, known and feared as a noted fighter, yet bore the deep marks of Lobau's powerful blows in a duel called forth by the barbarous acts of the former.

Three years since, when Lobau was preparing his second legal examination he unexpectedly came into possession of the beautiful property of Charlotterhof. Every one now supposed that he would not trouble himself further with study, but—as a man of established position—would quietly settle down in his ancestral possessions. They misjudged him.

The studies which Lobau began, he intended to finish with honor. At first, after making his state examination, he desired a furlough of a few months, in order to ascertain whether the life he should lead as a landed proprietor would interfere with these duties. He placed a competent agriculturist as chief superintendent at Charlotterhof, with a handsome salary. His advantageous arrangements for his tenantry were very evident yet did not embarrass his less favorably situated neighbors. After passing a brilliant Assessor's examination, Lobau towards the end of summer came to Charlotterhof to make a protracted stay.

At their first meeting, Emma had made a deep impression upon him. Her beauty and grace charmed him, and, even the self-will and little rudeness seemed to enhance her attractiveness. Besides, when she spoke to her aunt, such genuine feeling spoke in her beautiful blue eyes, as to leave no doubt of the real goodness of her heart. But as the love he had for her intensified, the more deeply he was pained by the light mocking tone with which she addressed him.

A few days before the termination of the Sylvester ball, Lobau determined to bring his relations with Emma to an understanding. He intended to speak with her fervently and earnestly, if she proved to be favorably disposed to him—as he hoped—he should insist on an immediate decision. Moved in his deepest soul and filled with disturbing unrest, Lobau on the evening of the ball started for D——, an hour before it should begin. For him this evening to speak with levity or indifference was impossible. His first words should be addressed to Emma.

He stationed himself, therefore, at a window in a restaurant opposite to the building in which the ball was held, from which he could see, while apparently absorbed in the pages of a newspaper, each carriage as it drove to the entrance.

At last the carriage of Madame von Herbeck drove up, easily recognized by the gray horses and large lamps accompanying it. Like a sylph Emma hastened up the steps, Lobau at once left his place and entered the ball room. Emma had scarcely laid off her wrappings, when Madame von Restorf and her daughter Laura, a friend of Emma's, entered the dressing-room. After an exchange of friendly greetings, Laura whispered, while securing the wreath in Emma's hair, 'Do you know a certain somebody came up the staircase just now with me.'

'I do not know of whom you are talking,' answered Emma, whilst turning her head away as if to facilitate Laura's intention.

'Little rogue, you know very well whom I mean, you care more for Lobau than you pretend.'

'I care for Lobau,' answered Emma, 'I care for him about as much as I do for "Lord Merino."'

'Lord Merino,' was the title given to Isidor Erlanger, only son of the richest wool dealer of the province. In the interests of his business, Isidor had passed two years in England, and after his return to his native place, was not only enthusiastic over all he had seen there, but affected the speech and bearing of the English in an insipid manner. The young girls of his acquaintance had given him in consequence, the title of "Lord Merino."

Laura made no further remark to Emma's observation, the two girls assisted each other in arranging their toilets, somewhat disordered by their journey and then Laura began again:

'Certainly your friend dances the first cotillion with you this evening.

'That is if I choose Laura, but I am tired of this and I shall not dance with him at all.'

'If he should ask you, you must dance with him Emma.'

'Must,' indeed, 'am I a slave then.' 'Must we girls always have to consider ourselves fortunate when one of these Lords of Creation considers us worthy of a polka or galop with him? No, you shall see what I will do.'

'Children are you not ready, cannot you do your chattering in the ball room, the remainder of the evening,' said Madame von Restorf, and they left the room.

The dressing room entered into a corridor which led into the ball room. This ante-room contained three open window seats which, like the boxes in a theatre, commanded the best view of the ball room and offered a more aggreeable temperature.

Here Madame von Herbeck took her place upon a cushioned divan, giving Emma to the care of Madame von Restorf, who accompanied the two girls into the dancing room.

Emma felt irritable, a frame of mind altogether foreign to her nature. With whom she was angry she scarcely knew. The ball room was nearly full when they entered. In the middle of the doorway stood the Master of the Ceremonies, and a few other gentlemen, among them Lobau.

As Emma came forward, he advanced towards her and said in a low earnest tone, 'Will you allow me to dance the first waltz with you, Fraulein von Rohr?'

'Thank you, I am already engaged, Herr von Lobau,' Emma replied, more coldly and brusquely than she had ever before spoken to the young man. Emma was frightened at herself as the words escaped her. She expected from Lobau an invitation to another dance which she would have accepted. But he only bowed silently and went immediately to the upper end of the room.

Isidor Erlinger followed right after him, also with a request for the first waltz. To be compelled to dance with "Lord Merino," that was hard. Emma accepted promptly, in order that this unfortunate waltz should be disposed of and she not appear to have spoken falsely to Lobau.

At that moment she turned her head towards her aunt, to give her a friendly nod, when her eyes met those of Lobau who, instead of ascending the steps, remained standing near her. Emma trembled under his glance. She had never before seen such an expression in the eyes of Lobau. What did it portend! Who could make it clear to her! Should she venture another glance?

Like a terrified child which imagines it has seen a ghost, and collects all its courage for another look, so Emma again turned her head towards Lobau.

He was no longer there.

'With whom will he dance,' thought Emma.

Soon the introductory measure of the waltz sounded, and Herr Isidor Erlanger led away his partner. Emma was silent, and 'Lord Merino' bore the whole burden of the conversation. He enlarged upon his sojourn in England, mentioned that he had been there on intimate terms with a family of high standing, who on one occasion had even entertained the Premier Disraeli—and that he had nearly met the distinguished statesman. Then he inquired whether she had read 'Coningsby,' by Disraeli, and informed her that many of the foremost men of the day were Jewish descent.

At last the waltz came to an end. Lobau had not danced at all. Emma requested her partner to take her to her aunt. Perhaps she had spoken to him, he might be there now. Emma determined to be very friendly towards him, and to give him and opportunity of dancing the Cotillion with her. Madame von Herbeck had seen Emma dance, and she must tell her to whom the remaining dances were promised.

'Have you not seen Lobau?' inquired her aunt.

'He asked me to give him the first waltz.'

'Well,'

'And I told him that I was already engaged.'

No suspicion seemed to be aroused in Madame von Herbeck's mind, and Emma was soon again among the circle of dancers. Three other dances followed concluding with the Cotillion.

Lobau had not danced, that was plain and must have left the ball shortly before the waltz began.

Emma sought to hide the restlessness and anxiety which had taken possession of her, under a seeming composure, but they only increased and filled her heart with sadness. Was this the ball from which she anticipated so much joy?

No other lady had received so many bouquets. None been so often asked to dance. Emma had been favored with the best of partners. Her young friends congratulated her warmly, her aunt smiled on her with pleased affection—but what had become of Lobau?

At midnight, twelve heavy strokes resounded in the ball room, followed by a flourish of trumpets and each hurried to friends and acquaintances, to wish them a happy new year.

Like a Queen, Emma stood the centre of an admiring throng of ladies and gentlemen, with whom the serene and beautiful girl exchanged good wishes. And yet she was so far from happy.

Madame von Herbeck and a few families on intimate footing, remained to supper. It was two o'clock in the morning, when she and her neice entered the carriage to return home.

The full moon shone brilliantly; countless stars glittered in the dark blue heavens. A delicate hoar frost had adorned the twigs and branches of the trees with fairy-like flowers and leaves which, in the moonlight radiance, looked like a vision of enchantment. A deep peace reigned over the quiet landscape, not a breath of wind stirred. No sound could be heard but the rapidly rolling wheels of the carriage.

Emma was tired—so she told her aunt, and both ladies leaned back in silence against the soft cushions of the carriage. Emma again raised her head as they approached Charlotterhorf. The inmates of the large mansion had apparently all retired, Lobau's apartment alone, on the first floor were lighted. Emma sighed as they drove by. They had passed the house but a short distance, when suddenly a brilliant glare of light shone throught the window and a scene of enchanting beauty burst upon them. A most unlooked for surprise was awaiting them.

In front of the large barn, pertaining to the estate lay a small pond, on the borders of which, three years before, Lobau had planted ash trees. Among the crystallized branches numerous richly decorated colored lanterns were suspended, their varied glittering light mingled with that of the moon, and illuminated the mirror like surface of the pond with magical beauty. As the carriage came opposite to the pond, an energetic voice called to the coachman to stop. The horses stood still; the carriage door opened and Lobau stepped to the entrance.

'Dear Madame,' he said, bowing respectfully to Madame von Herbeck. 'May I have the pleasure of wishing you a happy New Year.'

The astonished lady, suddenly aroused from a half sleep, returned a few words of thanks.

Then, at a signal from Lobau, the music of a favorite waltz was heard issuing from the barn in which a small band was stationed.

'Fraulein von Rohr,' said Lobau, politely bowing to Emma. 'May I be permitted to dance the first waltz with you?'

'Herr von Lobau,' interrupted Madame von Herbeck, 'what do these strange preparations mean.'

'Dear Madame,' he replied, 'unfortunately for me Fraulien von Rohr could not give me the first waltz last evening, as I had hoped. I trust now to make no useless requst.'

'This can only be a jest,' answered Madame von Herbeck, 'and I do not consider the time very fitting.'

'But, dear Madame, I promised myself that Fraulein von Rohr should dance a waltz with me before she returned home. I have everything in readiness for my undertaking. Music and lights are prepared; the pond supplies as beautiful a dancing floor as the finest ball room. The night is exceedingly mild, and a carpet covers the short distance between the carriage and the ice. Fraulein von Rohr may I again request a waltz?'

'Dear aunt,' said Emma, 'I could not forgive myself were I to detain you longer in the night air by a refusal. Herr von Lobau I comply with your request.'

Lobau helped the young lady with the utmost politeness out of the carriage, closed the door and escorted Emma over the carpeted ground to the dancing floor She was dressed for a drive, and Lobau had on a small cloak and hunting cap. With a firm arm he supported the young girl over the mirror-smooth surface. To the music of the Strauss waltz 'Das Leben ein Tanz' and under the glorious light of the starry heavens they danced twice round the circle of the pond. As Emma stepped upon the carpet Lobau said to her; 'Whilst I return to Fraulein von Rohr my best thanks I shall also do myself the honor of bidding her farewell, early in the morning I shall return to the Capital.'

'For a pleasure trip, Herr von Lobau?'

'No, for in the future I shall live in the Capital.'

'What is the matter, Fraulein von Rhor?'

'I am afriad I twisted my ankle.'

'Support yourself on my arm.'

'Herr von Lobau I must stop one moment, must speak to you before you start on your journey.'

'That is impossible, the train starts at 7 o'clock, and I have much to attend to.'

'I must not keep my aunt waiting longer, but I beg to speak to you before you leave Charlotterhof. Here lies my shawl.' And Emma unloosed the red shawl that enveloped her and let it fall to the ground. 'Ride over on horseback and say to the servant that you have found my shawl, and wish to return it to me yourself.'

'I will execute your command, Fraulien von Rohr.'

In silence they returned to the carriage in which Lobau placed his partner, then bade good night to Madame von Herbeck as though nothing unusual had taken place.

Emma's aunt was excited in the highest degree, and as soon as the carriage doors were closed asked if anything had occurred to excuse this extraordinary behavior of Lobau's. Emma kissed her aunt's hand, and begged that she might be allowed to be silent for the present. In the morning she would explain all she knew about it. While thus speaking the hot tears fell upon the hand she held in hers, and her aunt remained silent notwithstanding her anxiety to have the matter made clear to her.

The ladies had scarcely returned home and laid aside their traveling wrappings, when Catharine announced the arrival of Herr von Lobau, who had found Miss Emma's shawl and wished to return it himself to her.

'Dear aunt,' said Emma before the former had time to reply, 'allow me to receive Herr von Lobau, I will come immediately.'

'Invite Herr von Lobau into the balcony-room and tell him that my niece will be there directly,' said Madame von Herbeck to the old servant; then turning to Emma, added, 'But this is an unheard of proceeding.'

'Dear aunt, just allow me to be gone a few minutes,' said the young girl, 'you shall soon hear everything.' And throwing a mantilla over her shoulders and a light scarf over her head she entered the balcony-room where Lobau awaited her.

Her lovely face now wore none of the mocking expressions that usually lent it such witching charms. Her blue eyes were full of earnestneas, and her sweet voice trembled as she thus addressed the young man:

'Herr von Lobau, I have wronged you, and you have punished me in the way you have thought best. Our account might thus be balanced, but I promised my dear mother when I was a child that I would never go to rest, after being rude, without asking pardon and being at peace with every one, therefore, before you leave let me say to you, that immediately after you left the ball-room I regretted my conduct towards you. You will not continue to be angry with me?'

Lobau's breast was filled with contending emotions. Should he take Emma's hand and confess to her all that he felt and suffered? No; the bitterness and anger which contended in his soul conquered, and he said politely: 'I am obliged to you for your kind words, Fraulein von Rohr, and I ever shall remember them.'

His eyes, however, did not suceed like his words in concealing the real feeling of his heart, and under their tender glance Emma blushingly turned her head away.

'Herr von Lobau,' she said again, looking towards him, 'will you answer me openly and truly one more question?'

'I promise to do so.'

'Had you already decided to go to the Capital before you went to the ball last evening?'

'Will you excuse my declining to answer that question.'

'You promised me to speak truly.'

'Well, then, I had thought to remain here always. I was a visionary fool. I had given my whole heart to a maiden with whose beauty and charms no other could compete. I felt that I was able to protect and cherish her with the most devoted affection. No rude blast should ever reach my tender flower. But to a man there is yet one thing that is more to him than his affection—his honor! That must remain unassailed. It will not endure the lightest stain. A breath suffers to dim its purity. To the woman who loves me my honor must be sacredly held, not only on great occasions, but in each moment, in every utterance and expression. With deepest sorrow I am compelled to acknowledge that to one it was not only an easy matter to offer me an unmerited insult but to aggravate it by giving the preference to an acknowledged simpleton.'

Herr von Lobau,' replied Emma with a low voice, whilst she suppressed with

difficulty the emotions she felt, 'you have not done right to condemn unheard this young girl. You should remember that she is an orphan who never received the tender, earnest admonitions of a father; an orphan whose character has been moulded by different and opposing influences. Heaven gave her a happy temperament, hence anxieties and cares did not oppose her. Yet however joyously she surveyed life, still there existed within her heart the longing to be guided tenderly through it by a strong hand. You have said, Herr von Lobau, that to a man there is but one thing higher than his love, to a woman it is ever the highest. And because it is so sacred it must be hidden in her deepest soul. Often a girl scarcely knows of its existence, and the words alone of the man she loves reveal it to her. Angered by officious meddling she impetuously hides what must remain concealed. And, therefore, in order that strangers shall not discover what must first be revealed to the one loved, she is often cold and rude to him who is most dear. You have suffered, Herr von Lobau, the young girl suffers also. She feels——' Emma stopped speaking.

'Finish, I entreat you,' exclaimed Lobau seizing her hands.

'She feels——that she has found the one whom she could love, and—that she has lost him!'

'No, Emma, by all that is true you have not lost him. Who could resist such noble-hearted candor,' he added, as with a feeling of deepest happiness he tenderly embraced the trembling girl.

There came a knock at the door.

It was the old servant, who said 'Madame von Herbeck wished to speak to her neice.'

'We are coming,' rejoined Lobau, who wished to inform every one of his great happiness.

The astonished Madame von Herbeck gave the desired consent to the warmly urged entreaties for an engagment. But added the warning, 'I promise you plenty of trouble with the little mischief, dear Lobau.'

'Do not be afraid, dear aunt,' replied Emma, and for the first time the charming smile returned to her lovely face.

The understanding is that if again I do what I should not, I shall be treated to another "waltz on the ice!'

A Spell of Single Blessedness.

My wife has gone away for the summer, and left me in full charge of the house. I like it; haven't had such a run of liberty since we were married. I hope she's having a good time, for I can now exercise my rights as the head of the family. Can't do it when she's at home; she'll not stand it. She has rules, and makes everybody about her toe the mark. But I've got her now, and am having things my own way.

This morning I came home quite early. It was two A. M. I'd been to the club and got caught in the rain. For half an hour I couldn't find the key hole, which must have got mislaid. I felt for it every where, and even got down into the the yard and examined every brick, but couldn't find it. I was in the act of calling one of my neighbors and asking him who had carried off my front door, when I happened to find it and got into the house.

In the dark I kicked over a spittoon, but luckily didn't get any of the tobacco juice on my boots. I hung my overcoat and umbrella on a prong of the chandelier, let them drip on the parlor carpet and went up stairs and turned in with my boots on. I thought it wasn't worth while to pull them off, as I would have to get up in eight or ten hours anyhow. If my wife had been at home she'd have had me looking an hour for the boot-jack and I would have lost that amount of rest, which my system so much needed. Besides she'd have made me give a full account of myself, which I don't like to do. I never did believe in praising myself. It's better to let others speak of one's virtues. I can now wear a shirt a week, and it's nobody's business. I don't see how I ever did get along with that woman. The idea of having to put on a clean shirt, black my boots and brush my clothes every morning is simply ridiculous. It is a miracle to me how I ever did it and attended to my other affairs. I now read the morning paper without being forced to see an impatient woman standing with her dress in one hand, looking very miserable, and finally telling me that she is going down town and wants that paper for a b——, any one, to look at the house now, would know there's no women about, everything is so quiet and comfortable and handy. If I want to do a little figuring I don't have to hunt up a pencil or pen and ink, but I just sit down to one of the tables and do it with my finger, and there's nobody to be eternally wielding a dusting brush around my bed and telling me to get out of the way until the house is cleaned up. These are considerations that every married man should ponder over. But when we do ponder and resolve, what good does it do? That's the question which is now agitating the American people. What good does it do? Not a bit. If these women can't have everything just their own way, they swoon off into hysterics. As a consequence, we have to pay a fifty dollars doctor's bill, and stay in the house all day, fanning them and promising in the end that "we may be happy yet" before they show any disposition to compromise. Our wives are petted too much. And this reminds me that mine won't yield to any other treatment. I undertook to prescribe a more stringent remedy for her one day, but it threw her into a fit more like the jim-jams than anything I know of. She broke every plate in the house over my head and than I had to kiss her before she would promise not to do it again. That's what makes me say she is set in her ways.

There, too, are the piano and guitar which she kept going from morning until midnight, filling the whole neighborhood with discordant sounds which she called music. Both are as mute as the bird-cage which was vacated last week by a strategic movement of the cat.

The two hundred pots of flowers she left me to cultivate I don't think will produce much of a crop. They are nearly all ripe now, and there's no sign of a flower yet. I have watered them twice since she left, but it did no good. I reckon they miss her and are pining away because she ain't here. In this respect they do not resemble me to any alarming extent.

Our kitchen never looked better. The stove and pipe have assumed a beautiful red tint, and the pots are bringing forth a fine crop of beautiful white vegetable mould, which I havn't learned the name of, but she'll know when she comes. The dishes don't look quiet as bright and clean as they might, but the flies are bad his year, and if I were to wash them every two weeks they wouldn't present a respectable appearance.

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TUESDAY, AUGUST 25th, 1874,

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JAS. H. RANKIN,
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August 7th, 1874.

OUR ASSOCIATED PRESS LETTER.

PHILADELPHIA, August 15, 1874.

CHEAP TRANSPORTATION.

One of the leading questions that must necessarily engage the attention of the American statesman for the next few years, in the subject of cheap transportation, and as this is a non-partisan question it seems eminently proper for me to give publicity to all matters of interest bearing upon this important subject. The United States may properly be called "The Granary of the World" and he who can devise the best plan whereby the food-products of this country can be carried to the foreign consumer so that a profit can be realized by the producer, and competition with other food-producing nations be maintained, will prove himself his country's greatest benefactor.

From an interesting pamphlet now before me, I find that it costs 53 and seven-tenths cts. to transport a bushel of wheat from Chicago to Liverpool, and 44 and five-tenths cts. to carry a bushel of corn the same route; that the average price of No. 2 spring wheat in Chicago during the year 1872 was $1.25 and six-tenths, and that the average price of the same wheat in Liverpool was $1.86 and nine tenths; cost of transportation as above, 53 and seven-tenths, which gives the English merchant a profit of 10 and six tenths cents a bushel.

The value of American cotton in England during 1872 averaged $18.44 (gold) per 100 pounds; the value of wheat per 100 pounds was $3.10, and the value of corn $1.61 per 100 pounds. The cost of each of these three products from the point of production to Great Britain was 90 cents per 100 pounds which shows that while the cost of transportation was only 5 per cent of the value of cotton at Liverpool, it was 39 per cent of the value of wheat and 50 per cent of the value of corn at Liverpool.

The cost of transporting cereals from the North-West to the cotton growing states ought not to be more than one-third the cost of transportation to Liverpool, and from this it would seem to be much more profitable to all concerned, for the South to give greater attention to cotton growing and exportation of it than food producing.

The import of cotton into Great Britian from the U. S. in 1859 amounted to 1,115,890,608 pounds, and from all the other countries 265,048,154; during the year 1872 the cotton exported from this country to Great Britain amounted to 625,600,080 pounds and from "all other countries" 783,237,392 showing that while all other countries, had increased 508,189,248 pounds we suffered a decrease of 490,290,529. In other words, the imports of cotton into Great Britain from this country in 1860, were 80 per cent of the total imports of cotton, and in 1872 only 44½ per cent.

During the five years, 1860-1864 inclusive, this country exported to the United Kingdom 127,048,126 bushels of wheat. During the years 1869 to 1872 inclusive we exported to the same country 116,462,580 bushels of wheat; a *decrease* of 10,584,746 bushels.

During 1860-1865 Russia sent 47,376,869 bushels of wheat into Great Britain and during 1868-1872 inclusive Great Britain imported 117,967,022 bushels of wheat from Russia an *increase* of 70,590,213 bushels. This great increase on the part of Russia is mainly due to her improved system of cheap transporation of grain *from the interior to the Black Sea*, as the decrease from the United States is mainly due to the Jim Fisk system of railroad managment, which under the new order is rapidly becoming one of the lost arts.

AMERICAN VERSUS BELGIAN IRON.

In my last letter I was fearful that the combination that has doubled the price of iron for building purposes would force the Centennial Commissioners to the purchase of Belgian iron beams in order to save $32 per ton on a hundred thousand tons of iron; but with all the pride of an American citizen I now announce that the 40 acres of Exhibition Buildings for the American Centennial are to be constructed exclusively of American material made by American workmen. The Centennial Managers are but representatives of the people of all the States and Territories of this Nation; they have an important trust conceded to them and Mesers. John Welsh, John Price Wetherill, John Wanamaker, Ex-Gov. Bigler, Thos. Cochran, Clement Biddle, and their co-managers are not the men to disappoint the nation that has reposed confidence in them; that trust will be executed to the satisfaction of all the people and to the honor of the American Nation, therefore all honor to them and to the Contractor Richard J. Dobbins in saving a quarter of a million dollars of public contributions, and at the same time maintaining the dignity and superiority of American labor. The Centennial Exhibition is in the hands of our most favorably known citizens and its management is conducted upon the same principles that have made these gentlemen eminent in business circles.

THE PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

A majority of the stock of this great corporation is now controlled by Morgan, Drexel & Co., Bankers of New York, and the result is, the company is being managed upon sound business principles. Heretofore it has been the invariable practice to make appointments, from messet gers up to managers, exclusively in the interest of political intriguers who controlled legislative districts. Many of this appointees have had what Aleck. M'Clure calls a "bad set back;" as in the reorganization of the management, which has been thorough, clerks have been promoted for fitness and demoted, or dismissed for incompetency.

This arrangement works badly for prospective members of the Legislature, but meets the hearty approval of the stockholders who under it, have seen their stock advance from $47 per share—the market value at the time of Mr. Thompson's demise—to $51 per share, the present quotation. It is entirely safe to conclude that lobbying for the Pennsylvania railroad company is also among "the lost arts."

THE THIRD TERM.

Gen. Cameron is outspoken in regard to his opposition to a third term for General Grant or any other man. In conversation with one of our city congressmen a few days ago Senator Cameron said: Shall we give to Grant more than the Father of our Country would accept? The custom originated by Washington, and maintained by Jefferson and Jackson, of retiring at the end of a second term has practically made that custom, the law of the nation. To depart from it, is the first step in the direction of a despotic centralization of power that can have but one ending—monarchy, or endless internecine strife.

Speaking of General Cameron reminds me that there is no word of truth whatever in a rumor given out at Harrisburg that Mr. Cameron intends resigning the Senatorship that Col. Quay may be selected for his unexpired term, and J. Donald Cameron elected for the long term in place of Senator Scott whose term expires next winter. Senator Cameron's health is as good as it ever was and he expects to serve his term out for which he was chosen.

Ex-Senator Buckalew hopes to be chosen chairman of the Democratic State Executive Committee and Congressman Hiester Clymer and Senator Wallace are both desirous of serving as President of the Democratic State Convention which meets at Pittsburg on the 27th inst.

CHARLIE ROSS.

It is now 50 days since the disappearance of this four year old lad and no clue whatever to his whereabouts has been discovered. The police and detective force under Mayor Stokley have been searching every house in the city and private detectives under District Attorney, Wm. B. Mann, have been scouring the country for the lost lad. These latter detectives adhere to the theory that thieves stole the child and until they are convinced to the contrary they will not be diverted from that trail. I see no cause to change my theory that the child was not abducted by thieves with the view of obtaining ransom money. Mr. Ross is a bankrupt and has never felt himself able to pay more than $300 for the recovery of his son. The Mayor offers $20,000 reward for the return of the child and the conviction of the thieves, and neither turns up.

The excitement resulting from the loss of this boy is so intense that if child stealing was to become a part of professional thievery the child of a millionaire, like Mr. Drexel, would have been stolen weeks ago. Why steal the child of a bankrupt for ransom money? Why retain him when it is certain no money can be paid for his return? Why in the excitement of the hour have not the children of wealthy parents been stolen if for no other reason than to convince Mr. Ross and the public that the abductors mean business.

No evidence to justify the theory of professional child stealing is discernible in this case and I adhere to what I stated four weeks ago that the child is the victim of revenge or something worse.

Christian Kneass was nominated by the Republicans for State Senator in Aleck, M'Clures old district. Probably for the reason that the democratic candidate would not get off the ticket, to let "Aleck" on, is the reason why Mr. Kneass has just withdrawn as a senatorial candidate. This is the second step in the programme to make a well known politician in this city U. S. Senator in place of Mr. Scott. Some one will be selected in place of Kneass who will in a month hence also decline; this farce will be continued until the republican party of the district are forced by demoralization into the acceptance of Aleck M'Clure as their candidate.

I can think of nothing so inconceivably funny as the 200 Stokley policemen in M'Clure's district knocking republicans down who refuse to vote for him, unless it be the frantic efforts of Frank Wells to bring the readers of the Evening "Bulletin" up to "scratch"—or more properly in this case *not the "scratch"*—for Aleck.

POSTPONED.

The gift concert of Kentucky of which Ex-Governor Thos. E. Bramlette is manager has been postponed from July 31st to November 30th. This doubtless is owing to the fact that this first class fraud could not be imposed a fifth time upon the community. Four previous gift concerts, under this Exgubernational manager, having failed to give a prize to scarcely any one outside of those chosen to receive it, it was hardly to be credited that tickets for the fifth drawing could be sold. Efforts have frequently been made to establish agencies in this city but Mayor Stokley gave them to understand he would commit them to prison if they attempted it, consequently our citizens saved their cash and the humbug suffered accordingly. We purpose showing up this lottery fraud in its true character.

The delegates from this city to the Democratic State Convention are far from being a unit for Ludlow for Supreme Justice. This nomination and Lieutenant Governor seem to be conceded, by our city delegates, to the country, and the division on the Supreme Judge is because a considerable number of the Philadelphia delegation insist upon the nomination of General William M'Candless for Auditor General. The nomination of General M'Candless, should it occur, would place the nomination for Supreme Justice entirely out of the question, and being warmly pressed it weakens Ludlow's chances.

It may have no significance whatever, but it does appear singular that the day following the North Carolina election, Mr. David Houston, deputy collector of the Port of Philadelphia was removed from office. Houston is the republican candidate for Congress as against Hon. Samuel J. Randall, a democrat whose faith has never been questioned. Has Randall, Johnsonized Grant?

The selection of a prostitute as the chorister of one of the most fashionable of our city churches may have been done with the view of her reclamation, but as the woman continues to remain the mistress of a prominent manufacturer, who has a wife and three children, and the harlot having lately set up a bawdy house, it looks to me as a stain upon religion that even a fashionable congregation should be led in their songs of praise to Almighty God by a woman of ill fame, even though she be voluptuous looking and her vocal strains the most pleasing. In the interest of christianity I withhold the name of this church. J. W. F.

DEATH IN AN OPEN SWITCH.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 17, 1874.

Cornwell's, a flag station, about twelve miles from this city, on the Trenton branch of the Pennsylvania Railroad, was on Saturday morning, about seven oclock, the scene or a peculiarly sad accident. The story of the disaster, for such it proves, is best told by an eye-witness, one who was on the ground both before and after the wreck. It runs as follows:

OFF FOR A DAY'S PLEASURE.

The union excursion by the American Mechanics of Norristown left that place at about quarter before five, and arrived at Germantown Junction about six. Here the 560 excursionists from Norristown and vicinity, who occupied 15 cars on the Philadelphia and Norristown Railroad, transferred to 10 larger cars on the Pennsylvania Road. It was about quarter after six when the train moved from the Junction. It proceeded at the usual speed of about 25 miles an hour, not stopping at stations. Near Cornwell's a coal-train, in charge of a conductor named Mount, bound to this city had stopped for the purpose of taking some cars, which were on a siding, and adding them to the train. The engine the had gone on to siding, and the two switches, which were necessary to make a track line from the siding to the main line, were left open. The empty cars had been attached to the engine and were being taken out, when the flagman, Charles Thorn, heard a whistle from down the road, and discovered the engine, and the excursion train coming round the curve at the rate of about twenty-five miles an hour. Not being apprised that any such train was to pass that way at that time, the switchtender became confused and ran as fast as possible toward the open switches. He reached the lower one and closed it, and then attempted to close the other one, according to his statement, but did not have time, and in a few seconds the engine of the up-train went

CRASHING INTO THE COAL CARS

which were standing on the down track. The engine struck one coal car, splintering it and scattering the coal in all directions, and dovetailing the car into the one ahead of it. The sudden stoppage of the excursion train by the use of the air brake caused the first car to mount the tender, go over it, splintering it, and killing four persons who were in it and injuring several others. The second car of the train ran against the rear end of the first car, and the forward end of it was broken badly and many more persons injured. The other cars of the train were not injured, and remained upon the track. The first car, very fortunately, contained only about twelve passengers.

AFTER THE ACCIDENT—AT NORRISTOWN.

After the dead bodies had been extricated and the wounded cared for as best they could under the circumstances, they were all taken back to Norristown, while the greater number of the excursionists continued on to South Amboy, where they took the steamer Richard Stockton for New York Bay and up the Hudson. The remains of the dead were placed on baggage cars, carefully covered with cloths and sheetings.

Two cars were fitted up as a temporary hospital, and the wounded, of whom there were seven seriously hurt and about a dozen others slightly, were accommodated therein. They arrived at their destination by a special train about one o'clock, when the greatest excitement prevailed. The station was crowded with people, many of whom were looking for friends who had left in the morning. The pavements on both sides of Mill street, as well as the road, were also lined with people unable to get inside.

PLACING THE BLAME.

The cause of the accident is attributed to the switch-tender's having left the switch open upon the main track, and not keeping a proper watch upon it for extra trains, as it is a well known custom to have special trains run along the road, the only notification of the coming being a telegram from a station a few miles on either side.

——Court commences next Monday and will continue two weeks.

——The Rebersburg brass band will give a concert in Centre Hall on Friday next.

——Six new doctors are about locating at Penn Hall. The cucumber crop has been wonderfully large.

——Whortleberries are very plenty in the Seven Mountains and the natives retail them at six cents per quart.

——The Snow Shoe railroad company is constructing another siding alongside the old track at the depot.

——Daniel Rhoads, Esq., has built a new and tasty private office near his handsome residence on Linn street.

——The "World" says "A century usually produces precisely one great man," Which of us is it this time, Joe?

——William Wetzler, who lives near Milesburg, shot, a few days since, a very large porcupine within a few rods of house.

——Warren Wilson of Gregg township, while pulling stumps a few days ago, was struck by a broken shaft and had his leg severely fractured.

——We are much obliged to Jahacobus and J. C. H. for communications. They were a little too late to publish complete this week, write again.

——Mr. S. L. Stover, late graduate of Lafayette College, lectured the Normal school students at Centre Hall last evening. We suppose he did very well.

——The Hard Times and Rangers played a game of base ball on Saturday with a score respectively 20 and 16, which indicates poor playing on both sides.

——Mr. Chas. E. Anderson, head book keeper of the Valentine Iron works at Williamsport, says that they have gotten fully into operation and have excellent prospects for a large business, in the future.

——On last Wednesday evening a barn belonging to Andrew Confer, in the seven mountains, was struck by lightning and burned to the ground. His horses, grain, machinery and all contained in the barn, were destroyed. There was no insurance.

——Owing to the absence of Colonel Shortlidge from town, the "Watchman" editor does not receive that interesting and delicate degree of personal attention this week which the public may have reason to expect. We volunteer to say, however, that the Colonel has a slaking process of his own, developed in lime-burning, which never takes the water.

——Curtin's Iron works, now owned and managed by Mrssrs. C. Curtin & Co., are at present running full time and to their full capacity. Their iron is of such a superior quality that it is always in demand. Their customers are among the most substantial firms in the Eastern markets, who have been kept busy through the panic and who have drawn their supplies of iron regularly from the Curtin forges.

Grain and Flour Markets.

BELLEFONTE, Aug. 19, 1874.

White Wheat per bushel	$1 10 to $1 15
Red wheat No. 1	1 00 1 05
Rye per bushel	80
Corn, ears	80
Shelled corn	80
Oats, old	50@55
new	40@45

Provision Market.

Corrected Weekly by Fryberger & Moran.

Apples, dried, per lb	@ 6
Peaches, dried, per lb	12½15@22
Cherries, dried, per lb	7
Beans per quart	10
Fresh Butter lb	25
Chickens, per piece	25
Turkeys, per lb	10
Cheese per lb	20
Hams per lb	16
Bacon	12½
Sides	12½
Butter	20
Lard per lb	12½
Eggs per doz	20
Tallow, per pound	8
Rags	
Potatoes per bushel	75 &100
Dried Beef	25

Philadelphia Market Report.

Monday, August, 17, 1874.

SEEDS.—Cloverseed is rather more inquired after, and we notice sales 10¼@ 11¼c. New Timothy is coming more freely, and ranges from $3.25 to $3.75 for large and small lots.

FLOUR AND FEED.—In the Flour market we have to record rather more activity, but there are free sellers at current quotations. New wheat families are difficult to put off even at the late decline. Choice Minnesotas are getting scarce, and command full prices. Shippers hold aloof, but the trade purchase more freely; sales of 3100 bbls Penna. extra at $4 25; Iowa and Wisconsin extra family at $6 a $6 37½; 400 bbls Minnesota do do, good, at $7 25 a 7 37½; 300 bbls do do, choice, at $7 50 a $7 75; 500 bbls do do at price kept secret; 100 bbls Penna do do, new wheat, at $6 25; 100 bbls do do, old wheat, $4 75 100 bbls Western winter wheat do do, at $6 50; 350 bbls Ohio do do, new wheat, at $6 a $6 25; and 500 bbls "Jenny Lind" on secret terms. Rye Flour is steady at the late decline; small sales at $5. 25. Corn Meal is quiet at $4. 46 for Brandywine, and $4. 25 for Pennsylvania, without sales.

GRAIN.—The Wheat market is quite dull. The offerings altogether moderate are in excess of the demand, and poor lots can only be put off at relatively low prices; sales of 800 bushels common Indiana Hill at $1. 30; 400 bushels do. amber at $1 34; 400 bushels Western White at $1. 35. Rye comes in slowly, and may be quoted at 88c. Corn is rather firmer, but there is not much inquiry; sales of 1, 300 bushels Western yellow at 83c; 800 bushels Pennsylvania do. prime at 84c, and 3, 500 bushels Western mixed at 82⅝ a 83¼c, the latter figure in the elevator. Oats are quite active, and supplies come in freely; sales of 9, 400 bushels Western white at 56 a 52c; 700 bushels Delaware do. at 50c; 4,000 bushels Western do. on secret terms; 7, 000 bushels do. mixed, all August, at 50c. and 1,500 bushels do. do. asoot at 50c. In Barley and Malt nothing doing.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

MR. EDITOR.—We present the name of James T. Hale, Esq., of Bellefonte, for the Republican nomination as a candidate for District Attorney, subject to the decision of the county convention. His nomination, we think would be eminently proper. He is a lawyer of ability and possesses all the qualifications requisite to fill the office with satisfaction to the county and credit to himself and party.

MANY REPUBLICANS.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN:—We wish to announce, through the columns of your paper, the name of Dr. J. M. Blair, of Unionville, as a candidate for the Assembly, subject to the rules of the Republican County Convention. MILLSBURG.

We are authorized to announce the name of D. S. Keller, Esq., as a candidate for District Attorney, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of John Boozer of Potter Township as a candidate for assembly.

We are authorized to announce the name of William H. Stover of Haines Township as a candidate for the Legislature subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

MANY who are suffering from the effects of the warm weather and are debilitated, are advised by physicians to take moderate amounts of whiskey two or three times during the day. In a little while those who adopt this advice frequently increase the number of "drinks," and in time become confirmed inebriates. A beverage which will not create thirst for intoxicating liquors, and which is intended especially for the benefit of debilitated persons, whether at home or abroad is Dr. Schenck's Sea Weed Tonic. Containing the juices of many medical herbs, this preparation does not create an appetite for the intoxicating cup. The nourishing and the life-supporting properties of many valuable natural productions contained in it and well known to medical men have a most strengthening influence. A single bottle of the Tonic will demonstrate its valuable qualities. For debility arising from sickness, over exertion or from any cause whatever, a wine glassful of Sea Weed Tonic taken after meals will strengthen the stomach and create an appetite for wholesome food. To all who are about leaving their homes, we desire to say that the excellent effects of Dr. Schenck's seasonable remedies, Sea Weed Tonic, and Mandrake Pills, are particularly evident when taken by those who are injuriously affected by a change of water and diet. No person should leave home without taking a supply of these safeguards along. For sale by all Druggists. 29-5t

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My Cruise on the Cross-Jack Yard.

BY SANDY M'SEL.

Our ship lay at anchor in a small bay, about nine miles from the harbor of Tahiti, in the Society Islands. The crew were in a state of mutiny. We had been waiting in the South Pacific, with very poor success, which made the officers cross, and the crew discontented. The water was very bad; and the provisions utterly unfit for use. The seamen grumbled, and finally the captain consented to put into Tahiti for supplies. When we were within a day's sail of the island, the mate had difficulty with Tom Slingsby, a reckless sailor, which produced a general quarrel between the officers and the men.

Tom was desperate, and having induced his companions in the forecastle to join him, the officers were driven into the cabin, and secured, though not until they had shot one, and wounded another of the mutineers. Tom Slingsby, taking command of the ship, imprisoned the officers in the steerage, occupying the cabin himself. Being a boy of only fifteen, I was terribly frightened by these events, fearful that Tom would kill me.

When we arrived at the harbor of Tahiti, it was found that an American man-of-war lay at an anchor there, and Tom was afraid to go into the bay. But the water was so bad on board, that he decided to obtain a supply at a small bay where he came to anchor. A boat was sent off at once with the casks. The rest of the crew went to work on the cross-jack yard, the iron sling-band of which was broken. The yard was sent down and slung over the side of the ship, while the blacksmith repaired the iron work.

It was dark when the boat returned with fresh water; and in the evening, the men released from duty, broke into the storeroom, and obtained a supply of liquor. They were soon intoxicated, and the officers, confined in the steerage, were fearful they would be murdered before morning. Afraid of my life, I stayed on deck; but being a boy, no notice was taken of me. I was very tired, and lying down on a sail, I went to sleep.

When I awoke, it was just daylight. All was still below, for the men were sleeping off the effects of their carouse. I was so fearful I should be killed that I wished to get away from the ship. The boats were all hoisted up, and I could not lower one of them alone; but the cross-jack yard hung at the side, and without difficulty I dropped it into the water. Taking a paddle and a sharp hatchet into my hand, I went over the side. The wind was blowing towards the shore, and, having cut the ropes, I pushed off, and paddled for the land, nearly a mile distant.

When I had gone about half the distance, I was filled with horror as I discovered a large shark moving towards me. I had a pitched battle with him, but I split his head open with the hatchet, and reached the shore in safety. Walking across the land, I reached the harbor where the ship-of-war lay, and was so fortunate as to find one of her boats at the shore. I told my story, and was taken on board. Two cutters were immediately sent off to quell the mutiny, and I was placed in the sternsheets of one, with a fat officer, who commanded the expedition.

After a two hours' pull we reached the bay, where the *Magpie*—for that was the name of the ship, was anchored. One of her boats was just going ashore, probably to obtain pigs and poultry of the natives. The fat officer directed the cutter to pull for the ship, while his own made for the mutineers in the boat. As we approached them they attempted to stave our boat by running into us; but we dodged them and ran by.

"Stern all!" shouted the fat officer, seizing a boat-hook, and springing to his feet.

The men promptly obeyed, and as the cutter backed, the officer hooked upon the stern of the mutineer s boat, and held fast.

"Pull men!" cried Slingsby, who had taken the stroke oar.

The fat officer drew a pistol from his belt, and threatened to shoot him if he did not yield. He did not yield, and a bullet sped through his brain. This was enough for the rest, and they were secured without resistance. We then went on board the *Magpie*. The officers were released, and the vessel was taken round to the harbor of Tahiti. Six of the worst mutineers were put in irons on board the man-of-war, and their places being supplied from the shore we went to sea again in a few dyas.

I had saved the ship; the captain gave me a hundred dollars in gold, took me into the cabin and treated me very kindly; so that it was not in vain I made my cruise on the cross-jack yard.—*Our Boys and Girls.*

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Legal Notices.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Estate of Thomas Woods, late of the Township of Taylor, deceased, Letters of Administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same, are requested to present them duly probated to,
JEREMIAH SHARAR,
Administrator.
or to Bush & Yocum, Atty's.
June 16, 174. 25-6w.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—The copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned in the "Book and Stationary and Fancy Goods" business under the firm name of James Welch & Co., has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.

The business will be continued by James Welch, at the old stand, on his own account and in his own name and who as liquidating partner will collect all outstanding claims and settle and pay all debts of the late firm.

Bellefonte, Pa., July 27th, 1874.
S. STEWART LYON,
29-3t JAMES WELCH.

NOTICE is hereby given that in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly approved the 29th day of April, A. D. 1874, application will be made to the Court of Common Pleas of Centre County, at August Term 1874, for the incorporation of "the Hebrew Cemetery Association of Bellefonte," of which all persons interested will take notice.
30-3t

NOTICE is hereby given that a charter of incorporation is about to be applied for. The character and object of which is, to conduct and transact a general manufacturing and merchandizing business. The manufacture of Boots Shoes, etc. Also the buying, selling and manufacture of woolen and cotton goods. The said institution or association to be located in the Borough of Bellefonte, Centre Co., Pa.
30-3t

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters of administration having been this day granted to the undersigned, on the estate of John G. Stine, late of Patton twp., deceased, all parties knowing themselves to be indebted to said estate will please come forward and make immediate payment, and all parties having claims against the estate will present them duly authenticated for settlement. R. H. STINE,
30-6t* P. O. Buffalo Run, Pa.

A REGULAR MEETING of the Centre Co. Agricultural Society will be held in the Court Room, on Monday evening, August 24, 1874, at 7. 30 P. M. Business of importance will be transacted and the following subjects have been proposed for discussion, viz: Preparation of the soil for wheat; what varities of wheat are best adapted to this section. A full attendance is requested. D. S. KELLER,
31-2t (Watchman copy) Secretary.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters of administration on the estate of James Ward, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons knowing themselves to be indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated by law for settlement.
31-3t JAMES H. RANKIN,
Administrator

COURT PROCLAMATION.

Whereas the Hon. Charles A. Mayer, President of the court of common Pleas, in the 25th Judicial District, consisting of the counties of Centre, Clinton, and Clearfield, and the Honorable W. W. Love and the Honorable Henry Dopp, Associate Judges, in Centre county, having issued their precept, bearing date the 11th day of July, A. D. 1874, to me directed for holding a court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery and Quarter Sessions of the Peace in Bellefonte, for the county of Centre, and to commence on the 4th Monday of Aug. next, being the 24th day of Aug., 1874 and to continue two weeks.

Notice is hereby given to the Coroner, Justices of the Peace, Aldermen and Constables of said county of Centre, that they be then and there in their proper persons, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, with their records, inquisitions, examinations, and their own remembrances, to do those things which to their office appertains to be done, and those who are bound in recognizances to prosecute against the prisoners that are or shall be in the jail of Centre county, be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just.

Given under my hand, at Bellefonte, the 11th day of July in the year of our Lord, 1874, and in the ninety-eighth year of the Independence of the United States.
27-4t B. F. SHAFFER Sheriff.

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Timely Suggestions.

Matured crops claim precedence. The balance of the hay and grain crops should be gathered in and stored away as rapidly as the weather will permit.

Growing crops need constant culture to hasten them on to perfection. Weeds grow apace, and must be pulled out of those crops where the general culture has been completed; and if they have approached seeding, should be carefully carried to one side of the field and left to be dried and burned, or destroyed by being composted with rich earth, muck, sods or manure, with a large quanity of salt. When decay is complete, add lime to neutralize the salt.

Cattle need special attention, as usually in August pastures get reduced, and, food becoming scarce, they grow thin, and cease to yield milk abundantly. They should be kept in well-watered, shady pastures, when allowed to run out, or in cool, well-ventilated stables, with plenty of pure well-water at their service. In either case, the value of sown fodder crops will become apparent, none of which is better than corn, sown in drills and frequently horse-hoed. Many farmers are now following this method of supplying summer food, but thousands have never tried it even on a small scale.

Stables for horses, soiled cattle, and all stock pens, cannot be too frequently whitewashed and floors limed during the hot season.

Plaster of paris should be heavily strewn on all parts where manure is dropped, for it not only sweetens the air, but absorbs and saves valuable plant food, and is carried to the soil with the manure.

Do not neglect thorough brushing, combing and rubbing down of all horses, and such cattle as are stabled constantly. Labor thus invested will pay a handsome return in time. Salt should be placed, in large lumps, where animals can lick it at their pleasure; notwithstanding all the theories against its use practice has proved it to be of inestimable value to live stock.

We have a "bone to pick" with a vast number of farmers, who, perhaps, till crops during their early growth as closely and perfectly as may be desireable, yet neglect them thereafter, much to the advantage of weeds and grass, but to the great detriment of the crops they grow among. During the latter stage of the growth of plants they seem to secrete the most rare elements, such as go to make up the seed. All plant food in a presentable shape is comparatively scarce, and, therefore, wild plants should not be left to appropriate it at the very moment when it is most required to bring a crop to perfection. Reader, see to it that no weeds or bushes grow among your crops or along the highways. Preserve all the elements of your soil for the use of cultivated plants. Those materials in the soil that are available to plants, together with the manures applied constitute the floating capital of the farmer, and he should invest it as suits him best. Allowed to go its own way, more will grow into unavailable produce than into profitable crops. Herein lies a key to profitable culture.

Draining of swamps and wet lands can usually be better done this month than at any other time. If help is scarce, you can at least, during the dryest time, make close observations as to the existence of springs, their course, etc., and so get ready for operation at the time labor can be procured.

Ruta Baga turnips may be sown for table use on warm, quick, well enriched soils, in the latitude of New York city, and South, early this month. They will be more tender and sweeter than if sown earlier.

Common turnips ought to be sown on every vacant space during this and next month. Those not maturing will do to pull green for late fodder, or act as mulch if left on the soil, or may be plowed in as a green crop.

Gather all seeds as fast as ripened, selecting only the very best for preservation.

Beans and cucumbers, early sorts, for pickles, may be planted on rich ground. The growth will be quick and tender.

Onion seed and shallots are planted out by some in this month, and in the autumn, covered with litter for early spring pulling.

The early onion crop, as ripened, should be pulled, well dried on the ground in the sun, and finally stored in a dry loft.

Autumn lettuce should be sown at once.

Small salads can be sown at the end of the month.

Lettuce, cabbage and cauliflower should also be sown for cold frames, and spinach for winter and spring use.

Strawberry beds should be carefully cleared and strewn with old compost as early as possible, if they have been neglected heretofore.

Fall radish should be sown.

Raspberries and blackberries, as soon as done fruiting, should have their old wood cut out, all shoots not required destroyed, that the whole growth may go to the remaining stalks, which should be pinched back at the tops and tied up, to encourage side shoots for fruiting.

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Grain.—The land for wheat and rye should be prepared in the most thorough manner, and the coarse manures gotten ready for plowing under, while the rotten compost should be at hand for harrowing in with the seed, or just previous to dailling. With these preparations the crop can be quickly put in when the time arrives.

SWIMMING.—Encourage the boys and girls in learning to swim, as it may be the means of saving their own lives and rendering them instrumental in saving those of others in days to come. Also impress upon their minds the great necessity of caution ere they learn how to take care of themselves in the water. The deaths from drowning so prevalent during the Summer are among the saddest incidents of the season, coming as they do so suddenly, and what renders them particularly distressing is the fact that the great majority of them are caused by heedlessness. Bathing and swimming are healthy and delightful sports, and when participated in with moderation, as all pleasures should be in order to make them enjoyable, conduce greatly to the benefit of mind and body. It is excess in swimming as well as everything else which produces the harm, and this should be strictly guarded, against. Many a bright and promising lad has lost his life or undermined his health and become a sufferer, by being too venturesome in the water, or going in too often. From such items may we be spared the chronicling during the present season. Parents should encourage their boys to learn to swim as soon as possible. They will go in the water anyhow, and if they can swim there will be less danger of their drowning.

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PENNSYLVANIA RAIL ROAD—PHILADELPHIA & ERIE R. R. DIVISION.

SUMMER TIME TABLE.

On and after SUNDAY, JUNE 28th, 1873, the Trains on the Philadelphia & Erie Rail Road Division will run as follows:

WESTWARD.

FAST LINE leaves Philadelphia	12.55	p. m	
" " " Harrisb'g	5.00	p. m	
" " " Williamsp't	8.50	p. m	
" "arr. at Lock Haven	10.00	p. m	
ERIE MAIL leaves Philadelphia	11.55	p. m	
" " Harrisburg	4.25	a. m	
" " Williamsport	8.35	a. m	
" " Lock Haven	9.45	a. m	
" " Renovo	11.10	a. m	
" " arr. at Erie	8.05	p. m	
ELMIRA MAIL leaves Philadelphia,	8.00	a. m	
" " " Harrisburg	1.20	p. m	
" " " Williamsport	6.20	p. m	
" " arr. at Lock Haven	7.20	p. m	
NIAGARA EXPRESS leaves Phila	7.20	a. m	
" " Harrisb'g	10.40	a. m	
" " W'msport	2.05	p. m	
" " Lock Hav.	3.10	p. m	
" " Renovo	4.20	p. m	
" arr. at Kane	9.15	p. m	

EASTWARD.

PHILA. EXPRESS leaves Lock Haven	6.20	a. m	
" " " Williamsp't	7.45	a. m	
" " arr. at Harrisb'g	11.45	a. m	
" " " Philadelphia	3.35	p. m	
ERIE MAIL leaves Erie	11.20	a. m	
" " " Renovo	8.20	p. m	
" " " Lock Haven	9.25	p. m	
" " " Williamsp't	10.50	p. m	
" " arr. at Harrisburg	2.40	a. m	
" " arr. at Phila	6.40	a. m	
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LEWISTOWN DIVISION.

MIFFLIN & CENTRE—EASTWARD.

	Accom. No. 1.	Accom. No. 2.	Accom. No. 3.
LEWISTOWN Ju.	6 50 a m	12 01 p m	5 10 p m
LEWISTOWN	7 10	12 07	4 16
Logan	7 25	12 16	4 24
Yeagertown F.	7 33	12 21	4 28
Mann's F.	7 44	12 28	4 35
Reedsville	7 52	12 33	4 39
Honey Creek F.	8 10	12 44	4 49
Naginy F.	8 20	12 50	4 55
MILROY, Arrive	8 30 a m	12 55 p m	5 00 p m

Returning leave Milroy at 8 50 a. m., 1 20 p. and 5 15 p. m; Reedsville at 9 11 a. m., 2 00 and 5 36 p. m., arriving at Lewistown at 9 40 a m., 2 35 and 6 05 p. m.

The Mifflin and Centre and Sunbury and Lewistown connect at Lewistown with way passenger and fast lines west, and mail and Cincinnati express east; and at Sunbury with trains on Northern Central, Phila. & Erie, and Hazleton.

P. F. SMITH, Supt.

BALD EAGLE VALLEY DIVISION.

STATIONS.	MILS.	Mail. A.M.	Exs. P.M.
Leave Tyrone	0	9 15	6 45
East Tyrone	1	9 22	6 52
Bald Eagle	5	9 33	7 01
Hannah	10	9 52	7 14
Port Matilda	14	10 00	7 28
Martha	17	10 10	7 31
Julian	21	10 22	7 41
Unionville	26	10 34	7 51
Snow Shoe Intersection	29	10 44	8 00
Milesburg	31	10 50	8 05
Arrive Bellefonte	33	10 59	8 14
Leave Bellefonte	33	11 02	8 17
Milesburg	31	11 15	8 30
Curtin	24	11 25	8 40
Mount Eagle	37	11 30	8 45
Howard	40	11 38	8 53
Eagleville	44	11 49	9 04
Beech Creek	46	11 54	9 08
Mill Hall	51	12 07	9 22
Flemington	52	12 10	9 25
Arrive Lock Haven	55	12 15	9 30

RETURN.

Leave Lock Haven	0	9 50	3 15
Flemington	3	9 55	3 20
Mill Hall	4	9 58	3 23
Beech Creek	9	10 11	3 27
Eagleville	11	10 15	3 41
Howard	15	10 27	3 53
Mount Eagle	18	10 35	4 02
Curtin	21	10 40	4 07
Milesburg	24	10 50	4 16
Arrive Bellefonte	26		4 27
Leave Bellefonte	26		4 30
Milesburg	24	11 15	4 59
Snow Shoe Intersection	26	11 19	4 44
Unionville	29	11 29	4 57
Julian	34	11 40	5 09
Martha	38	11 52	5 20
Port Matilda	41	12 02	5 29
Hannah	45	12 10	5 38
Bald Eagle	50	12 26	5 53
Vail	52	12 32	5 58
East Tyrone	54	12 38	6 03
Arrive Tyrone	55	12 45	6 10

BELLEFONTE & SNOW SHOE R. R.

Leave Bellefonte	8 10	A.M.	2 25 P.M.
Leave Snow Shoe	9 10		2 25

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The river hemmed with leaning trees
Would through its meadows green;
A low, blue line of mountain showed,
The open lines between.

One sharp, tall peak above them all
Clear into the sunlight sprang;
I saw the river of my dreams,
The mountains that I sang!

No clew of memory led me on,
But well the way I knew;
A feeling of familiar things
With every footstep grew.

Not otherwise above its crag
Could lean the blasted pine;
Not otherwise the maple hold
Aloft its red ensign.

So up the long and shorn foot-hills
The mountain road should creep;
So, green and low, the meadow fold
Its red-haired kine asleep.

The river wound as it should wind;
Their place the mountain took,
The white torn fringe of their clouds
Wore no unwonted look.

Yet ne'er before that river's rim
Was pressed by feet of mine,
Never before mine eyes had crossed
That broken mountain line.

A presence, strange at once and known
Walked with me as my guide;
The skirts of some forgotten life
Trailed noiseless at my feet.

Was it a dim-remembered dream?
Or glimpse through æons old?
The secret which the mountains kept,
The river never told.

But from the vision ere it passed
A tender hope I drew,
And, pleasant as a dawn of spring,
The thought within me grew.

That love would temper every chance,
And soften all surprise,
And, misty with the dreams of earth,
The hills of Heaven arise.

The Lesson of Grief.

I hold it to be a truth of great import that, while grief, ill-borne, demoralizes and deteroirates, grief well-borne—borne with fotitude, patience, and wisdom—yields the soul a bountiful harvest of compensations. Increased moral power is developed by this battle with pain. It is easy to surrender and give way to despair; easy to complain, and mope, and forget the wants of the world in our own private misery; easy to become so absorbed in the indulgence of our own emotions that, by degrees, we lose the conciousness of high duty to mankind. But it is very hard to suppress the pain in our hearts, and pluck out of the wound the barb that has pierced it. Yet grief is disintegration of character, unless we submit it to this heroic treatment. Before the first outburst of the tempest we are overborne, and we inflict useless agony on ourselves if we choose to break rather than to bend. In a stern struggle with disaster, nevertheless, lies its only power to bless us in the end. The effort we must make, painful as it is, is to get the mastery of our own soul. There is no sadder sight than to see one permanently crushed and broken in spirit and sorrow; and there is no grander spectacle than that of the free soul rising superior to evil, distilling honey, like the bee of Samacand, out of poison and death. Vigor of will and nobility of character, are to be learned nowhere but in the stern school of misfortune.

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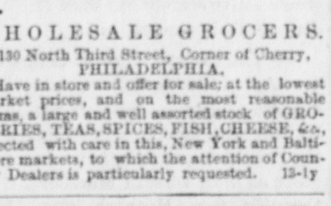

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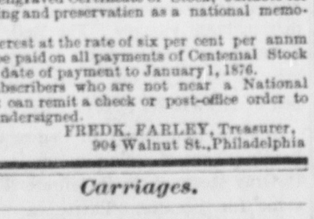

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and will be delivered at the residence of all parties in Bellefonte, as low as the same quality of coal can be had elsewhere.

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Cashor short Credit, in no case to exceed three months.

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THE undersigned takes pleasure in informing the citizens of Centre county and the public generally, that he is just opening a

Splendid and Rich Assortment of Foreign and Domestic

CLOTHS, CASSIMERES,

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VESTINGS,

Which he is prepared make to order in the latest and most fashionable styles, for men or boys. Goods sold by the piece or by the yard He also keeps on hand a full line of

Gents Furnishing Goods

of every style and variety, consisting of

HATS AND CAPS,
STRAW GOODS,
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Underclothes for Summer or Winter Wear, Suspenders, Hose, Neck Ties, Collars, both Paper and Linen, Handkerchiefs.

The best manufacture of KID GLOVES—"The Jouvin"—a full assortment of sizes, colors, &c., on hand.

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The best manufacture of Kid Gloves, a full assortment of sizes, colors, etc., on hand.

WM. McCLELLAN,

No. 4 Brockerhoff Row, Bellefonte, Pa.
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Expresses.

SOLOMON DERR.—Hereby gives notice to his old friends and the business community generally that he has a good team of horses, and that he is prepared at all times to deliver lumber, flour, feed, or baggage, or anything else in his line, to any part of the town or County. Everything committed to his care, will be attended to punctually. 4-28-1y.

ISAAC LOSE Takes this Method to nform his friends and the public generaly that he is prepared to do all kinds of express business and will deliver promptly to any point in Bellefonte or the county anything that may be entrusted to his care. Thankful for past favors he asks a continuence of public favor. 5-6-1y

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LOCAL EXPRESS.

A local expressing promptly attende to reasonable rates.

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Pleasant rooms and experienced workmen, Felty's new building, High Street, Bellefonte, PA
5-29-1y

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WATCHMAKER!

THE undersigned adopts this method of informing his friends and the people of Centre Co., that he is now located in the room adjoining the store of Harper Bros., on Spring St., where he is prepared to make and repair watches. He is solititous of business and guarentees complete satisfaction to all who may favor him with their work. Clocks watches and jewelry repaired upon the shortest notice. F. C. RICHARD,
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EVERY description of Blacksmithing promptly in a workmanlike manner prices. 5-25-1y

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BELLEFONTE, PA.

Lodge Directory.

Bayard Post, No. 90, G. A. R., meets every Monday evening, at 7 o'clock, in Bush's Arcade.

Bellefonte Council, No. 270, O. U. A. M., meets every Tuesday evening, at 7 o'clock, in Bush's Arcade

Bellefont Lodge, No. 190, K. of P., meets every Friday evening, at their hall, in Meek's Building, opposite the Bush House.

Centre Lodge, No. 153, I. O. O. F., meets every Thursday evening at the Odd Fellow's hall. Degree meetings first Saturday of each month.

Minerva (Rebekah Degree) Lodge, No. 53, meets on the Saturday night next to and immediately before the full of the moon of each month, in Odd Fellow's hall.

Bellefonte Encampment, No. 72, I. O. O. F., meets at the Odd Fellow's hall, on the second and fourth Mondays of every month.

Bellefonte Lodge, No. 268, A. Y. M., meets on Tuesday evening, at 7 o'clock, on or before each full moon, in Masonic Lodge, Bush's Arcade.

Bellefonte Chapter, 243, R. A. M. meets on Thursday night preceeding the second Friday of each month, in Masonic Lodge.

Constans Commandery, No. 3, K. T., meets the second Friday evening of each month, in Masonic Lodge.

Bellefonte and County.

—— The Bellefonte public schools will open on the first Monday of September.

——A cablegram announces that Judge Mayer and family will sail from Liverpool to-morrow.

——The New York *Star* is a poor excuse of a paper. We received one copy of it and hope that will be all.

——The members of the Lycoming County bar have organized for a grand excursion to Minnequa on Friday next.

——The Wayne camp-meeting opened yesterday with the prospect of the largest attendance the association ever had.

——The only Bellefonters that have rented tents at the Wayne Camp meeting are Rev. T. M. Reece, and Miss Beckie McGinley.

——About one hundred of the guests at the Bush House held a pic-nic at Purdue's Gap on Wednesday last. They had a most delightful time.

——There will be an inspection of the 12th Infantry, Fifth Military Division, on September 5, at Williamsport, by General James A. Beaver.

—— Dr. Hall comes to the rescue. Henceforth indulge in morning naps without fear. The doctor says it is wrong to get up until you feel like it.

——The Episcopalian Sunday school, which, under the superintendency of Mr. Wm. Zeller is in a most prosperous condition, will have a pic-nic to-day.

——Numerous handsome and dashing young belles from abroad are at present sojourning in town and have taken captive the hearts of many of our young gentlemen.

—— Ellsworth of the Philipsburg *Journal* is increasing the popularity of his paper with every issue. His quaint and original way of putting things is quite surprising.

—— Valentines & Co's iron works have been running day and night for several weeks past. Curtin's and Linn & McCoy's works are also running full time, and the iron business generally is looking up in this county.

——We are thankful to our friends in different parts of the county, who have been kind and thoughtful enough to send us the local news of their vicinity. We will remember them and do them a favor the first chance we get.

—— Every purp caught straying around now a-days with no particular object in view, and unaccompanied by his parents, ought to be taken care of by some humane person who has a good revolver and plenty of cartridges.

FARM FOR SALE.—One of the best farms in the Bald Eagle Valley is offerred for sale. It is situated one mile from Milesburg, at Snow Shoe intersection. Terms to suit purchasers. Apply to Sommerville, Downing & Co. 30-4t

——When the Osceola *Reveille*, Clinton *Republican*, Sunday *Mercury*, and a number of other papers copy our poetry on the B.-T. scandal we'd thank them to give us credit. The *Watchman* says we have it patented and it is not every day we write poetry.

——A Camp meeting will be held at Pine Glenn, (on land of Wm. Hipple,) commencing September 2nd and continuing one week, under the auspices of Messiah's Church. Distinguished clergymen from Rhode Island and Trenton, will be in attendance.

ICE, ICE.—We have made arrangements to receive ice from Lock Haven which we will deliver to consumers in Bellefonte daily except Sunday. Those who use ten pounds per day and upwards will find it to their advantage to purchase from us.

31-2t SHORTLIDGE & Co.

——W. D. Smith *et uz*, coming down the Howard Street hill on Saturday, in a spring-wagon, met with an accident. The horse commenced to run and kick, throwing them both out in front upon the horse's heels. Mrs. Smith escaped unhurt but her husband was badly bruised about the head, left arm and right eye. It seemed that nothing but the over-ruling Providence saved their lives.

PAT DOOLEY AND THE COW.—Mr Dooley went to work as usual at the Lime Kiln the other morning taking the precaution to hang his coat upon a fence rail, before he began. While busy with his labor a motherly looking cow came along to examine the vegetation in that vicinity. The coat attracted her attention and she went up to examine it, she must have thought of the young folks at home for she immediately tried to hook it. Placing her horn into the sleeve she removed the coat gently from the fence with only the loss of one pocket and its immediate surroundings. Then she started up town with the coat swinging from her horns. Mr Dooley caught sight of her as she turned an angle in the road. He immediately grasped his stone-hammer and bore down upon her with tremendous strides, and would probably have put her light out if she had not left before he got there. But the cow, as Job says, "sniffed danger afar off;" so, casting a defiant look at Patrick, she elevated both extremities and sped homeward, the coat still flying from her mast head and giving her a very romantic appearance. But Patrick gained on her and she kept switching the coat around until she tramped on a sleeve and tore it out. This had the effect to bring the coat over both her eyes and she began to go backwards to get away from it. Patrick took advantage of the situation and dealt her a shower of blows with the stone-hammer. She then changed her tractics and rushed upon the foe and they tumbled down a ten foot embankment together. Both were disabled and so was the coat which was now scattered in sections along the rocks. Patrick returned to the bosom of his family late that evening, carrying his coat and boots in his hands with several bruises on his person and an aching void in his breast that nothing short of the complete annihilation of that cow can fill.

——At the trial of mowers and reapers at the Penna. State College, Wednesday, 29th ult., there was a large attendance of representative farmers from various parts of the state, besides the host of Centre County men. There was a combination of circumstances attending the trial that put every one of them to the test. Nearly all new reapers do good work in good weather, smooth ground and in standing grain, but where these advantages are not had, as was the case at the College, the good qualities and bad ones too are sure to be found out. The committee of judges were in entire sympathy with the crowd of spectators in awarding the "Climax" Reaper the first position. The "Climax" is known throughout the state as the "Grangers' machine," and if that fraternity have decided to give it the preference, we believe their trust is well founded. It is very simple in construction is made entirely of fewer pieces than any other, and is as noiseless as a clock. The driver without leaving his seat can regulate the height of the cut, lift the cutter bar over obstructions, stop altogether or change the motion of the knife either faster or slower, without any reference to the speed of the horses. It is not the intention to detract from the excellent qualities of other machines but we do think that the "Climax" is about as near perfection as a reaping or mowing machine can be made.

——Nothing is made in vain. An old man near town who has scarcely done anything for the last twenty years but nurse his rheumatism and hobble to a neighboring grogery has beguilded the summer months by utilizing the potato bug. He crushes them up and makes whiskey of them, a half-pint of which will make a man crawling drunk. It can be manufactured, with an average yield of bugs, a good deal cheaper than Haag's or Beezer's rye whiskey.

——A little fellow lately tumbled into the spring and managed to crawl out before any one reached him. Pale and dripping he was put to bed, and when his mother requested the young man to thank God for saving him, young America answered: "I 'spose God did save me, but then I held on to the gwass too."

—— Would it not be a good thing if the town authorities would repair, or put a new gas lamp at the corner of Humes' new block? No part of town requires more light than that locality where both pavement and street are obstructed with piles of stone, beds of mortar and other obstructions.

——Wm. Eckley of Benner twp., brought us in a fine lot of peaches yesterday. Mr. Eckley says he will have about one hundred bushels for the market this season, and we heartily recommend them as the sound republican sort.

——Samples of goblets, tumblers, celery glasses and other glass ware, which he is offering at less than cost to close out the lot, can be seen in James Welch's windows, Post Office Book Store.

——The Rock Forge Camp meeting, under the auspices of the M. E. Church, commences to-day. The camp-ground is about five miles from town.

——Sheet music, and music instructors at publishers' prices by James Welch next door to Post Office.

——We notice that many of our citizens are storing away their coal for winter use. Coal can now be bought at reasonable prices.

——Let everybody prepare some article to take to the County Fair this fall. In this way it can be made a complete and grand success.

——At the regular meeting of the Bellefonte Building and Loan Association about seventeen hundred dollars was sold at premium averaging twenty-eight per cent.

ATTENTION.—Democrats and Republicans! ! All person claiming the right to vote in the North Ward, Bellefonte Borough, will please see that they are assessed by Sept. 3rd. No more ten day business under the new constitution.

JNO. I. RANKIN, Assessor.

——A thief broke into the store of Mr. H. F. Bartley, in Bush's Arcade, on last Tuesday night and abstracted a large lot of segars, confectionary, sarsaparilla and baker's goods. An entrance was effected through a window in the back side of the building.

——A general law passed by the last legislature fixes the pay of road jurors and viewers at $2 per day, with mileage at ten cents a mile, for each mile necessarily traveled to the nearest point on the line of road to be viewed or reviewed or the line or lines to be run.

"SCHOOL IN THE MOUNTAINS" at Bellefonte, Pa. will begin its next session on Wednesday, September 9th. Pupils thoroughly prepared for college, the scientific schools, or a business life. For circular address

30-6t REV. J. P. HUGHES, Principal.

——We have frequently remarked that this big foot talk is beginning to be a bore, but they do say that on last Christmas eve a certain Centre county minister's wife put the long-wished-for Biblical Commentaries (fifty two volumes) in her husband's stocking to pleasantly surprise him in the morning.

——John Carry, dealer in plasterers' hair, junk, etc, at the Phillipsburg Tannery, died very suddenly on Friday afternoon of last week, from the effects of whisky. He was walking around town about noon, and was a corpse before night. He was naturally a good-hearted man who was his own great enemy.

——While a son of Mr. Wm. Jones was driving seven head of cattle from the farm of Captain J. A. Hunter, in Half Moon, over the mountain to this place to be slaughtered for market, five of them escaped and were lost among the ridges of the mountain, where active search has since failed to discover their whereabouts.

——The Veteran Club of Centre Co.—which includes all honorably discharged soldiers and sailors within its borders—will hold their first reunion on the 17th of September, in the beautiful grove on the borders of Milesburg. Gen. Burnside, Gen. Hancock, Gen. Hartranft, and a number of other gentlemen are looked to for addresses on that occasion.

——We have received a copy of Greevy & Renner's Directory of Bellefonte and Lock Haven. It is neatly printed and well bound, is complete and methodical in its arrangement and should be possessed by every business man in both villages. The Bellefonte directory is prefaced by a very well written sketch of our town from the pen of Mr. Joe W. Furey.

——The Democracy of Centre could hardly get out of voting instructions for P. Gray Meek, of the Bellefonte *Watchman*, for Senator. There was much feeling against him, and, of course, he stands no chance for getting the District nomination, as against Wallace. Meek has done some good service for his party, but he did some peculiar service for himself, at the same time, whereof the people know something.—*Gazette & Bulletin.*

——Lock Haven is getting to be a kind of a fountain head from whence flow supplies of intoxicating drinks to all the neighborhood. The country people of Clinton have grid-ironed the country with jug express lines, and we are reliably informed that the stages that ply between Lock Haven and Bellefonte leave jugs of spiritual comfort at all the taverns and many other houses. "The local option law has given Lock Haven the liquor monopoly of this district."

——The queerest amusement that our people are excited over, is the Russian bowling alley lately introduced by Mr. John C. Henry. It is a most capital sport being cheap, healthful and exciting. Mr. Henry has fitted up the room in rear of his tobacco and segar store in fine style. The walls are hung with tasty pictures and every thing is neat and inviting. A neatly printed placard above the door bears the following legend:

"Old merchant Jones he dreamed a dream,
He dreamed that he was busted.
He woke and found his dream was true,
He'd kept a store and trusted."

——Dr. J. H. Ziegler died at his home in Rebersburg July 31. He was about 26 years of age, and had but a year before graduated from a Baltimore Medical College. He was a very promising young man; but the severe application he subjected himself to at College, undermined his health, and the relentless Consumer laid his pallid hand upon him just at the opening of what seemed to indicate a bright professional career. He was soon incapacitated from practicing, and the community thus lost the much needed services of a sober, clear headed and competent physician. Although his disease bore heavily upon his naturally joyous disposition, he did not grow despondent; his faith in Him who chastens those He loves was his anchor. His death is mourned sincerely by all, and the bereavement falls more heavily upon one—the young and delicate wife, whose hopes must now seem to be broken. May she gather strength from the promise: "The pure in heart shall meet again."—*Register.*

——A robbery occurred near Houtzdale last Sunday night. The house of Mrs. Hagerty was entered by thieves, and her trunks robbed of a large amount of money. At last accounts, the lady had not yet returned, and the full extent of her loss is, therefore, unknown. A lady who had been left in charge of the house made all the resistance possible under the circumstances, but after going through her purse they proceeded to finish up the business in professional style. Two parties were immedialely arrested on suspicion and confined in the lock-up.

Later accounts state that the robbers picked up an envelope containing forty dollars belonging to the lady in charge of the house, but thinking it contained nothing valuable laid it down again. From the best information we can obtain, they found no more than sixteen dollars, which will not go very far toward paying court charges. Mrs. Hagerty had left no money in the house.—*Reveille.*

——The *Watchman* says "the Allegheny mountain is alive with huckleberries and wagon loads of pickers go out every day" which is a first rate little local item. We were looking over their locals to see if we couldn't garble something, and, coming across this item, tried to put it in some other shape than the original. It sounds more sensational to say "the huckle-berries are alive with Allegheny mountains and, every day, pickers of wagon-loads go out." But if the reader don't like that we can say the huckle-berry mountain is alive with Allegbenies and loads of picker wagons go out every day. Or we might end the trouble by saying, the Allegheny huckle-berry is alive with mountains and loads of wagon pickers go out every day.

——We don't suppose it makes much difference to Ex-Gov. Curtin what the Williamsport *Register* says of him, but when a lot of young, sniffling up-starts such as they are begin to criticise the Old War Governor, we feel like pleading with their readers to have charity for their childish, empty-headed conceit. When nature, education and habit fit persons only for such educational duties as mailing a couple hundred papers per day, and posting an occasional horse-bill in the bar-rooms, it is not to be expected that they can be able to write intelligently or sensibly about any thing.

——A new Sunday School was organized last Sunday in Jones Independent School District. This district embraces part of Burnside twp, Centre Co., located on the West Branch, about three miles above Keating station. The house was crowded insomuch that extra seats were provided. The old folks volunteered to form a class, as one of them remarked, "to read the Bible and hear it read." Should the Sabbath evertake any trout-fishing or deer-hunting parties in the neighborhood of this school they should pay it a visit. Their presence would encourage whether they exhort or not.

—— On Thursday last almost a car-load of visitors from this place went to Snow Shoe to attend the Catholic church festival at that place. Rev. Father Kinney, assisted by several other priests, was present. A most excellent dinner was served; a band of music was in attendance and the day passed delightfully. A very handsome sum of money was realized, which is to go toward the payment of the church debt.

——Always patronize the men who advertise, and when you go to buy, go to the men who are represented in our columns; they are reliable and responsible dealers, and as a rule their prices are far below the old fogies who never appear in the newspaper. We refer particularly to the advertisement of Mr. Willian. McClellan, No 4. Brockerhoff row.

——Some people are unfortunate in that all their perspiratory organs seem located in their feet. That they forget to fill their boots with ottar of roses before going to church or public assemblies is a misfortune to those who sit near them. We attended church last Sunday evening.

PERSONAL.—W. P. Duncan is in attendance at the Ocean Grove Camp-meeting for the perfection of personal holiness. With *Milton* he may say "No vain excuse hath tempted me within these halcyon bowers."

—Ex-Governor Curtin will not return from Saratoga until after September 1st.

—Rev. J. H. McMurray, fomerly presiding Elder of the M. E. church of this District, was on our streets on Friday last.

—James H. Rankin and S. D. Gray, Esquires, are officially in attendance at the Repulican State Convention at Harrisburg to-day.

—If James T. Hale, Esq., don't soon come back from Ohio, he will find that the Republican County Convention will have nominated some other man for district attorney.

—John C. Henderson of the Ellsworth House, Osceola Mills, was in town on Friday. We advise our friends who visit that town to stop at the Ellsworth as it is an excellent hotel.

—Judge Orvis is spending his vacation, busily on his neat little farm near town, fixing things up generally and making his pleasant country residence, more handsome and attractive than ever.

—Col. McConkey and family of Harrisburg have been spending a few weeks at the Bush House. McConkey is well known in the democratic politics of the State and is a gentleman of culture and excellent social qualities.

—Mr. Graham Meadville, son-in-law of Mr. William McClellan, and one of the best engineers in the employ of the Penna. Railroad Company, has been spending a portion of his vacation with his relations in town.

—We had a call last week from Mr. John R. Heard who years ago used to assist Hon. S. T. Shugart in the publication of the *Centre Democrat*. Mr. Heard is one of the principals in the Morrisdale Coal Mining Company.

—On Friday last we saw our friend Joe Furey, walking into the Bush House dining room, about noon, with a number of the Williamsport police force in uniform and a few other suspicious looking individuals, but our alarm died away when we found that they were only honoring themselves with Joe's presence at dinner.

—Mr. David Bartley, one of Bellefont's best carpenters, has just finished another room in the stone school house, Mr. Bartley, informs us that he has contracted to build several new houses in town this fall. All who desire the services of a first class builder will find him an industrious and competent architect.

—Rev. Professor John H. Roberts left Bellefonte last week for Shanghai, China. For several years past he has occupied the chair of ancient and modern languages in the "School in the Mountains" and is a brother-in-law of Rev. James P, Hughes, the accomplished and successful principal of that institution. During his stay here, Mr. Roberts preached frequently and was an enthusiastic worker in the Y. M. C. A. and Sunday schools of the county. He spent several years as a missionary in China before he came to Bellefonte and only returned, because of failing health. He is conversant with the language and customs of the Chinese which is an advantage most missionaries do not enjoy. With many other warm friends of this able, zealous minister of the Gospel we wish him God speed.

ABOUT NEWS PAPERS.—The Warren *Mail* is building itself a two story brick office.

—R. Lyle White, formerly editor of the Meadville *Republican*, is not dead, as reported by the Titusville *Herald*.

—The Phila., North *American* is one hundred and three years of age and yet it is more vigorous than ever. Does it use tobacco or drink?

—The Williamsport *Gazette* and *Bulletin's* Bellefonte correspondent is one of the original geniuses of the generation.

—The Wellsborough *Agitator*, now in its 22nd year, is a large twenty-two column paper and in a healthy condition, under the management of Messrs. Barner & Hoy.

——William A. Baldwin, came to town last Tuesday and purchased the branch Railroad track from the depot to the car works for the Penna. Company. His special train was in town again on Saturday. Mr. Baldwin and a number of friends were spending a few hours at Linn & McCoy's iron works.

——An organization to be known we believe as the Mechanics' and Workingmen's Practical Union will be permanently organized in this place on Tuesday evening next, an informal meeting was held on last evening and a committee of five competent persons appointed to take the necessary steps towards the immediate organization of the same. We learn from good authority that about one thousand dollars worth of stock is already secured. This new enterprise, if properly managed, will undoubtedly prove a decided success. We will give our readers an extended account of its proposed plans of operation next week.

BEECH CREEK, Aug. 15, 1874.

ACCIDENTAL SHOOTING.—John Ligget, a well known citizen of this county, accidentally shot himself through the right knee on last Wednesday evening. Mr. Ligget, with two other citizens of Beech Creek, was in the woods near Bakers run on that day, and in the evening concluded to go to some deer licks, so each one of them took their own lick. Along about 6 o'clock in the evening a thunder storm came up. Mr. Ligget then came down the tree and made a shelter out of his gum blanket, then standing his double-barreled gun against a tree with the muzzle down, got down on his hands and knees to crawl under his shelter, and in so doing threw down the gun, discharging one barrel, which contained nine buck shot, the whole load passing through the cap of his knee, which entirely disabled his leg, and he had to lie in his shelter until the next morning, when his comrades came to hunt for him. After finding him they put him in a truck wagon, being all the conveyance at hand, and hauled him about 10 hours before reaching his home at Beech Creek, all of which he stood like a soldier. After arriving at home medical aid was procured immediately, and it is hoped that under favorable weather, good treatment and good nursing, which he will be sure to receive from his beloved wife and that aged and skillful physician, Dr. W. P. Rothrock, that he may soon recover without the loss of the use of his leg.

—Is it true that Meek pulled Burnside's nigger over a few evenings before the democratic convention in endeavoring to shake hands with him?

—Democrats bawl about as lustily for green backs in 1874 as they did for gray backs in '64.

—Meek wants to go to the Senate to look after his Sandy Run stock, which is now at a discount below 00.

—It never was so healthy around Eagleville as this season, Drs. are beginning to fear a panic.

—Business around Beech Creek and Eagleville has been extremely dull for the last three weeks. The lumber establishment of Saylor, Day & Morey suspended operation some time ago, which threw about one hundred men out of employment. But about the first of September it is expected they will start up again which will make things lively again. They have about six million feet at their mill now.

—There will be very little lumbering done in Beech Creek this winter not over one fourth the usual stock or about six million.

—Corn never looked better than it does now along the Bald Eagle Valley. There will also be potatoes in abundance but the bugs are doing business as usual notwithstanding the panic. M.

——An envelope containing something over a hundred dollars was lost in the vicinity of the Bush House on Sunday last and has not yet been found.

——We hear of a grand masquerade ball which is to come off at the Bush House, to-morrow evening.

——Another pic-nic will be given by the Mountain City Band on the 25th. Our citizens should, everyone, buy a a ticket and that will enable the members of the band to get their uniforms out of the express office.

MARRIED

On the 13th inst, at Howard, by Rev. L. S. Crone, Mr. John A. Osman and Mrs Angelina Crock, both of Nittany Hall, Centre County.

DIED

At the residence of his son in Boggs twp., on Thursday, August 13th, James Iddings, aged 82 years and 6 months.

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